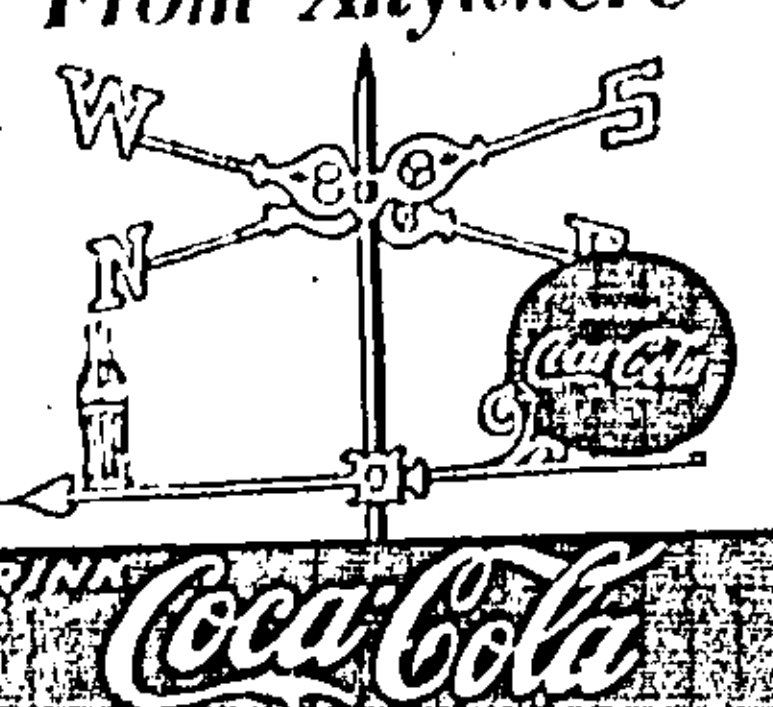


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AIR OF MYSTERY OVER TWA PLANE CRASH DISASTER

Tewfikia, Nile Delta, Aug. 31. Complete mystery tonight surrounded the smash of a Trans-World Airlines Constellation in which 18 passengers and a crew of seven were killed in the desert today.

Investigators, already at work, were spending the night under a clear moonlit sky in the isolated desert spot where the plane crashed and were resuming their investigations at dawn tomorrow.

The investigation's task will be to ascertain whether the plane exploded in mid-air or crashed and caught fire, but this task will not be easy.

Little remains of the plane and identification of the victims may prove most difficult.

Pieces of the plane and personal belongings are scattered all around.

The plane, left Farouk Airport, in the desert north-east of Cairo, on a scheduled flight to Rome at 1:30 a.m. today and, according to a TWA official, 20 minutes later, exploded "everywhere" (12-13).

The disaster must have taken place a few minutes later.

When no more remains were received from the plane, anxiety mounted and, at the first light today, search planes—Egyptian and TWA—took off from Cairo Airport.

The Constellation was on course but the aircraft had difficulty in searching for the plane as the wreckage was dispersed widely over the desert.

The search planes reported little or nothing to be seen on the ground.

Then, two hours after the search started, the missing plane was located.

ALMOST INACCESSIBLE
Officials set off by road for the scene of the disaster in almost inaccessible desert.

The location of the scene of the disaster is indicated by the fact that nobody in the nearest inhabited locality heard the thunderous crash.

The passengers of the plane included the Egyptian minister, Gamal Abdel Nasser, several United Nations delegates, wealthy Indians and American, Swiss and Italian businessmen.

The bodies of the dead were tonight being moved to Cairo. Gamal Abdel Nasser, favorite star of Egyptian films, participated in the current British film "Cairo Road".

Among the passengers killed were 19 Americans, eight Indians, six Egyptians, three French, three Italians, three Swiss, two Belgians, one Czech, one Dutch, one Greek and one described as Stateless.

The address of the latter, M. Schindler, who was going to Cairo, was given as 147-56 New Garden, New York.

FAMILY KILLED

Among the 19 Americans killed were Mr. E. M. Baker, Dean of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and four members of a single family—Mr. Francis Pope and his three children, Helena (15), Mary (11) and a baby.

Mr. Pope, an employee of the TWA, was travelling to Switzerland to put his three children in a school. His wife is still believed to be in Cairo.

The Joint First Officer of the aircraft, Mr. David Fletcher, also flew as a passenger, going on leave.

As soon as the news of the crash spread, anxious relatives fanned the Airlines office with inquiries which had to be cut off until the full and accurate casualty list could be ascertained.

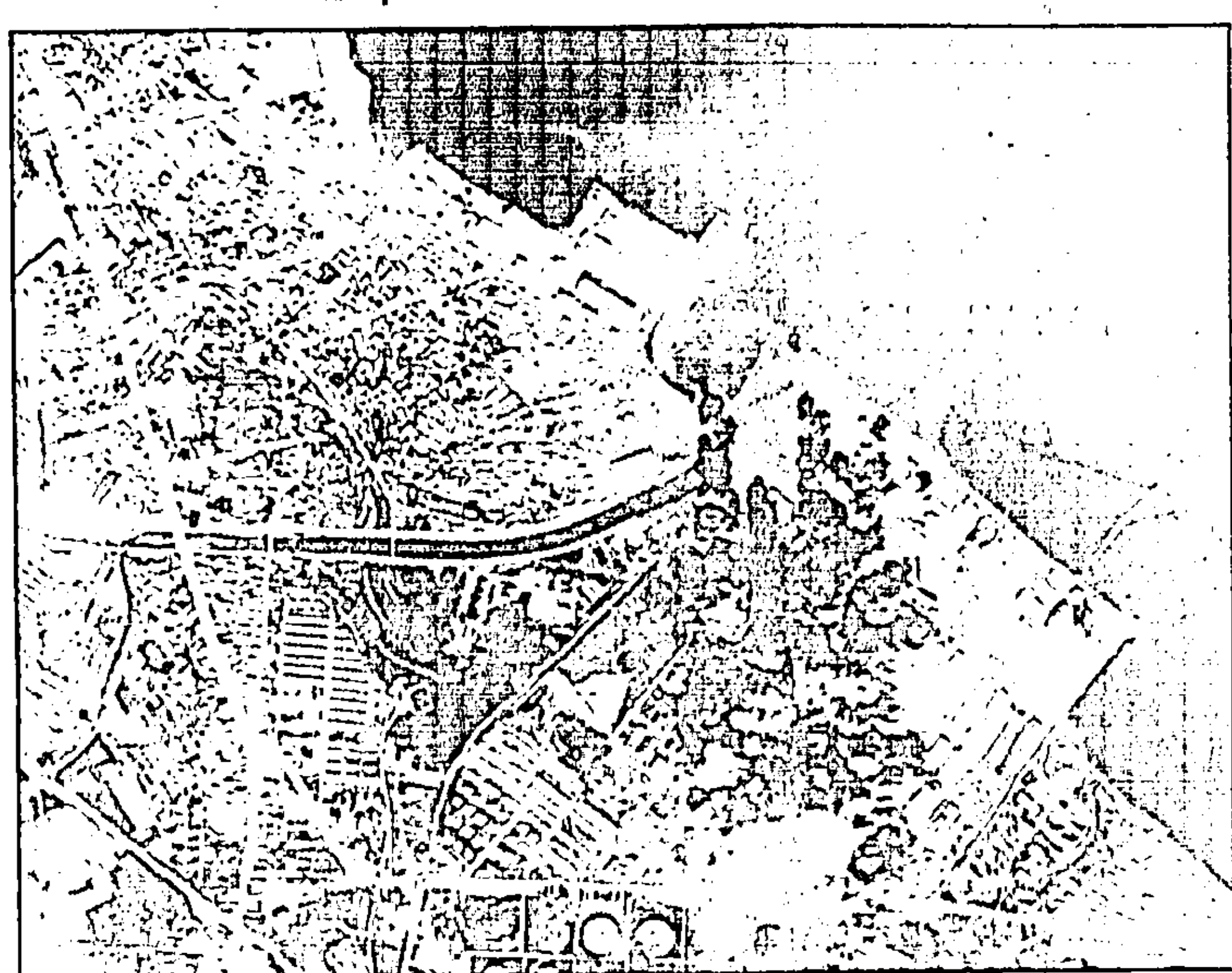
PARIS STATEMENT

The following statement was sent tonight by the European Headquarters of Trans-World Airlines in Paris:

"Information received in the Paris office of TWA was incomplete and offered no indication of the cause of the accident near Cairo. Mr. Warren Lee Pearson, Chairman of the Board TWA expressed his deepest sympathy for the surviving relatives of the passengers and crew members. Mr. Pearson departed from Paris immediately for the scene of the accident.

"Mr. Pearson said that TWA had flown 1,001,908,000 passenger miles on its international routes during nearly four years without mishap up to the time of this accident."—Reuter.

That's Oil That Was



B-29s dropping bombs on the key industrial and transport centre of Wonsan. Here a shower was being laid on an oil refinery with striking effect. In this raid 625 tons of bombs were dropped.

TWO COMMUNIST DIVISIONS IN FULL-SCALE DRIVE

Attack Launched In Moonlight Early This Morning

AMERICANS HOLDING ON

Korea, Sept. 1.

Two Communist divisions, spearheaded by tanks, stormed across the Nam River under a full moon early this morning in a full-scale attack against the Western approaches to the vital supply port of Pusan.

A heavy artillery barrage "softened up" the forward outposts of the 25th United States Infantry Division before the Communist tanks and infantry moved in.

The Americans, holding the line of the River Nam just west of Masan, gave some ground at first. Later they were reported to be holding the position.

Heavy fighting was raging just before dawn all along the 24-mile front. The frontal assault was accompanied by infiltration attacks.

In some places American infantry were engaged both on their front and in the rear.

One Russian-made tank was knocked out in the early stages of the battle.

The Communists were driving on Masan and Haman, pivots of the defence line. These two towns are the principal bastions for the defence of Pusan, about 48 miles further to the east.

Early reports here said that the Communists were also attacking the American second Division further to the north, along the line of the Nakdong River.

BROKE WEEK OF CALM
The Communist onslaught broke a week of calm all along the 120-mile United Nations defence perimeter.

An American Staff officer said that the attack was part of a predicted "last gasp" onslaught. The Communists had been known to be building up for an attack in the area for at least a week.

North of east coast of Pusan, 26 huge American tanks drilled mercilessly into another Communist offensive.

Here, American and South Korean troops had made a three-mile advance.

A Second Division spokesman said this morning that "all hell broke loose last night" with the enemy hitting at least five points on the Nakdong River front.

The enemy crossed the river at one point to the depth of (Continued on Page 5 Col. 1)

Britain To Get Prepared

London, Aug. 31. Reliable sources said that Britain is forming a "task force" of several army divisions and air squadrons in preparation for possible Communist aggression.

The task force would be held in reserve, "ready for action anywhere."

The formation of this force underlined the British determination to place the nation's armed forces on a new war footing as a result of the Korean war.

—United Press.

Brussels Pact Discussion

London, Aug. 31. The five Defence Ministers of the Brussels Treaty Powers will hold their 14th periodic meeting in London on September 5. It was announced here tonight.

It was understood that the Ministers will discuss the progress made by the five Western Union countries to speed up their defence preparations since the meeting of their Foreign Ministers at The Hague at the beginning of this month.

The Foreign Ministers then decided to order an immediate increase in the defence efforts of their countries.—Reuter.

Attlee Calls Cabinet

London, Aug. 31. The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, has warned key Cabinet Ministers to be available for top-level defence talks in London next week.

The Cabinet may meet twice during the week. They are expected to discuss the extent of the industrial reorganisation made necessary by the increased defence effort and other implications of the new policy.

Senior Ministers, including the Prime Minister, the Deputy Prime Minister, Mr. Herbert Morrison, and the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, will have a preliminary meeting tomorrow afternoon.—Reuter.

Landslide Election For Malan Party In S.W. Africa

Windhoek, Aug. 31.

The Prime Minister, Dr. Daniel Malan's, Nationalist followers today gaily celebrated a landslide victory in the Territory of South-West Africa. The election is for South-West Africa's first six seats in the South African Parliament, and for the 18 seats in the South-West African Legislative Assembly—the State Parliament.

For the Nationalists, this was the only satisfactory result announced, and 13 of the 15 Legislative Assembly seats were theirs.

They were thus assured of an absolute majority in the Legislative Assembly.

Polling closed early this evening but the results were not expected to be complete until late tonight or early tomorrow. In this sparsely populated territory of primitive bush and desert, the readout of the results was a slow process, under guard of hundreds of men to the centres where the votes are counted.

In the election for the Union Parliament the first seat, which was held by the Nationalists, in Windhoek, an urban constituency which some observers had thought might go to General Smuts, the result was Mr. J. V. Visser (Nationalist) 2,255, Mr. J. D. Lamer-Burke (United Party) 2,032, giving the Nationalists a majority of 234.

LANDSLIDE

A political correspondent of the Rand Daily Mail, which supports General Smuts, forecast today that Dr. Malan would win 14 of the Legislative Assembly's seats and probably all six seats in the South African Parliament.

If this forecast is right—and most political observers considered it likely—Dr. Malan's chunky majority in the Union's Lower House would be increased to 13, including the Nationalist Speaker. His majority of one in the Senate is likely to be increased to five.

South-West Africa will have four Senators, two nominated

Destroyer Hits Ferry

Rio De Janeiro, Aug. 31. The Brazilian destroyer Amazonas today rammed a ferry-boat in Rio Bay, badly damaging it, the owners reported.

No deaths were reported but some people were injured. The ferry-boat, crowded to capacity, was sailing from Niteroy to Rio.—Reuter.

Colony's First Quads Won't Need Adoption

The quads—three boys and a girl—born to a poor Chinese family at the Kwong Wah Hospital on Wednesday evening are "doing fine," reports from the Hospital this morning indicated.

The babies are receiving all the care and attention possible from the Hospital authorities, and every confidence is expressed that they will develop into sturdy youngsters.

Government, too, is going to do all that can be done to bring up the children. It was revealed this morning that the Social Welfare Office has undertaken to provide for the babies after they leave hospital, and will see to it that the family moves to better accommodation, and not be forced to remain in the squalor of their present home.

Mr. J. T. Wakefield, Acting Social Welfare Officer, said that Government are looking for a place where the family can be accommodated in surroundings that will give the babies every opportunity to grow up into healthy children. It is also proposed to obtain the assistance of various kind-fong associations.

It was also learned that the Society for the Protection of Children is offering assistance to the family in the way of food and other necessities.

A FUND OPENED

Dr. and Mrs. D. Laing forwarded us a cheque for \$100 for the quads this morning, opening a fund. Another "Well-Wisher" donated \$10. Subscriptions may be sent to the "Hongkong Telegraph" or to the "South China Morning Post" and the fund will be placed in the hands of the Society for the Protection of Children for the benefit of the quads.

EDITORIAL

Feet On The Ground

THE arrival of the Middlesex and Argylls at a bivouac in close proximity to the Korea battlefield five days after Hongkong's gratifyingly spirited send-off gives, indirectly, a reminder of a challenging letter addressed to Hongkong citizens last week-end, suggesting that all able-bodied men should give their minds for a moment to volunteer service in the Colony, acceptance of a duty, and seriously consider enrolment in the Hongkong Regiment, the Home Guard, or one of the essential services, assuming that they had not already entered. Not all the arguments were unassailable. For instance, the correspondent deplored that many individuals, of all nationalities, were inclined to take an altogether too detached interest in what is going on in Hongkong, and elsewhere in the world. Viewed in a totally different light, such an aspersions could be converted into a compliment. It could mean, in effect, that thinking people in Hongkong keep their feet firmly on the ground and refuse to be shaken into the litters. Things are happening all around naturally causing concern, but as yet there is no reason for alarm and the stability of mood of the majority in Hongkong is no ground for despondency. If there is any danger it would develop from the outbreak of the Third World War and few people competent to assess the situation, the Winston Churchills, the Achesons, the Tises and their like, believe that Soviet Russia is prepared to provoke a direct clash of arms. Western statesmen realise the necessity of stiffening the defence barriers without loss of time, not because they are resigned to the inevitability of the stern test of war, but because of the conviction that the

matching of strength with strength offers the only positive way of settling differences of outlook and establishing permanent peace. An attitude based on the belief that a third world war is not imminent does not, however, justify the taking of chances, the risk of being unprepared for a sudden emergency. That was the theme of Civi's challenge to Hongkong. Our military and diplomatic estimates of the future may be completely accurate, but there can be no fooling with the insidious activity of the Kremlin and their satellites in all parts of the world. And it is true that the public response to the Hongkong Regiment call, following the reorganisation of the old H.K.V.D.C., has not been good. Those keen on seamanship and those anxious to flourish in the air have volunteered in appreciable numbers, so much so that the approved establishment has had to be nearly doubled to cater for them. But the Regiment has languished. Exact figures are not available but there is plenty of room for those fit to carry arms before the contingent can claim to be up to strength. Several factors have contributed to lack of appeal, some of them due to misunderstandings very easily removed and some reflect the grievances, real or imaginary, of Volunteers who fought in the Battle of Hongkong in December, 1941. The lessons of those days, however, were thoroughly learned and there is no fear of repetition of events which did cause a legitimate grouse. It would be of interest to see the result of a direct appeal by the Commandant, recapitulating what the Regiment has to offer to civic-minded citizens. But it should not be necessary. Enrolment should come of its own volition to the fit and well.

STOP PRESS

EUROPEAN INSPs SHOT

Two European police officers were wounded this morning while attempting to arrest an armed robber on the Castle Peak Road near the seven-and-a-half mile post.

They were Chief Inspector F. J. Clarke and Inspector A. Leslie, of Shamshuipo Station.

Both were shot in the chest when they endeavoured to close with the bandit who had barricaded himself in an un-numbered hut on the hillside.

It is understood that Mr. E. C. Luscombe, Commanding Officer, who was among the Police party was also shot at but escaped unharmed.

At noon today the bandit had still not been arrested.

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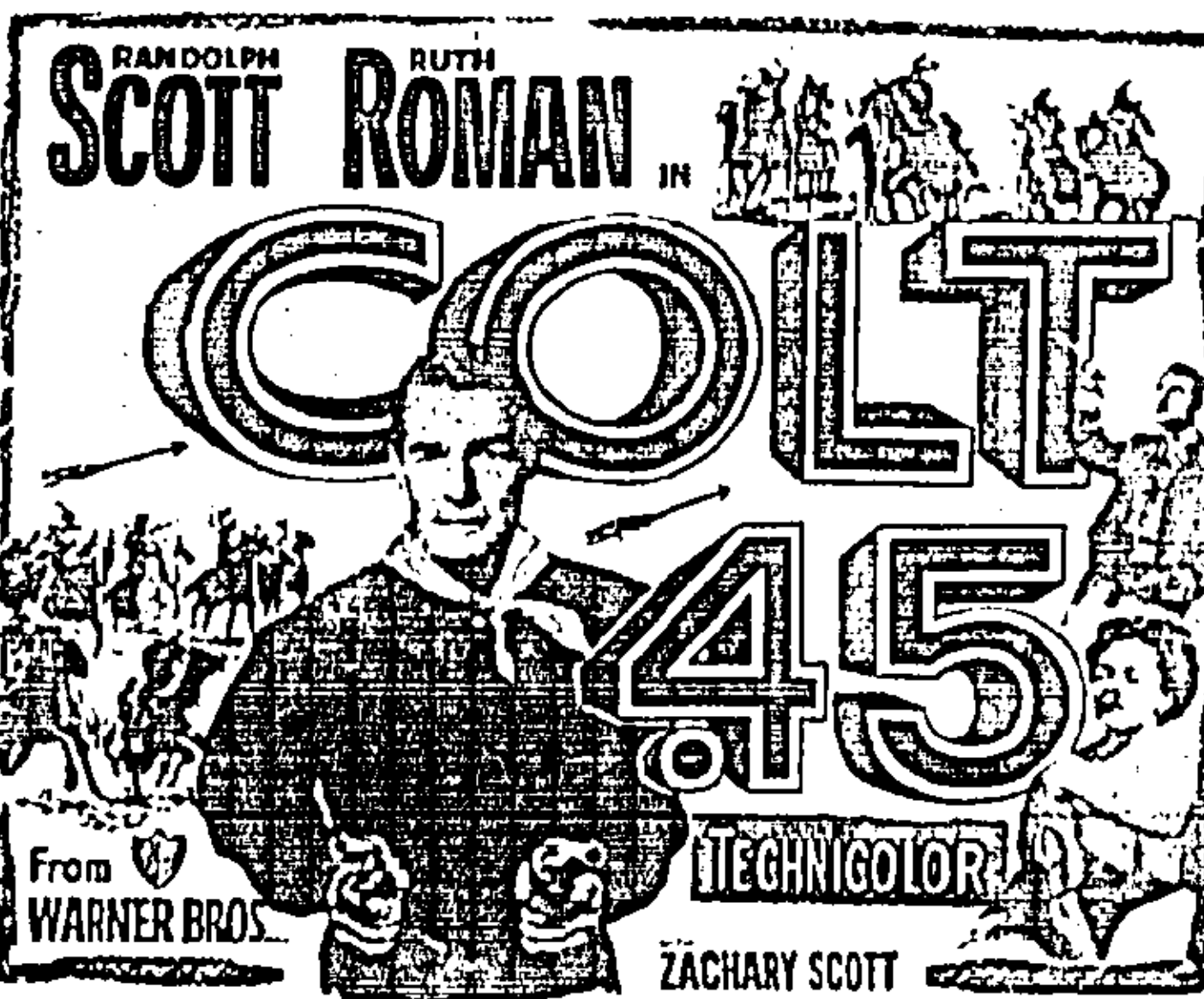
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THE COCKTAIL FROCK
Maureen Farrell, from Manchester.

MARINE PARADE

Holiday Team go to Bournemouth for a survey of Britain at play.

'Half her wardrobe in the car'

from VICKI SILVA-WHITE BOURNEMOUTH.

WOMEN still wear what suits them—no matter what fashion says. They like individual touches lent by accessories, but stay conservative in their choice of holiday clothes.

Mrs P. W. Payne, of Harrogate, yachting at Poole, sticks to conventional yachting wear—navy skirts and reefed jacket worn with white sports shirts or trim twin-sets, according to the weather.

At the waist of her slacks hung a tiny compass from a gold chain. Her bracelet had miniature flags of yacht clubs with their names inscribed on the back.



THE ROLLED TROUSERS
Marta Mendl, from Czech-Slovakia

In the Bar

In the cocktail bar of a Bournemouth hotel I found a girl who thinks clothes are half the fun of a holiday. Twenty-one-year-old Pauline Tinkler motored down from Beckenham with her fiancé for a week's holiday, admitted she had half her wardrobe in the back of the car, and had come prepared for all weathers.

The only garment she had not brought was a mackintosh. Pauline, 5ft. 7in. and blue-eyed, wears her blonde hair short, likes plain, sophisticated clothes: pencil-straight skirts for day wear, with dolman sleeved pastel sweaters.

She had six cotton frocks, three cocktail dresses, two whiplash skirts and several woollen frocks among her week's luggage.

High Collars

Her favourite cocktail choice: a black jersey suit with a high collar, a black and white check skirt with a high collar, a black and white check skirt with a high collar.

For warm summer evening she brought a cobweb voile frock with a peach spiderweb design on a black ground. The skirt is full and sweeping, the neckline square with cape sleeves.

Pauline does not like low necklines: even her white pique sun dress has a high Byron collar. Her only jewellery for the holidays: a long strand of pearls.



Swim Attire Doubles As Play Suit

EVERY EXPERT swimmer and girl with wonderful figures like to have an "extra" bathing suit that doubles as a play-suit or a play suit that can take to the water on occasion.

For instance, a one-piece jersey brief with a "pilot-halter" neckline which may be worn several ways, or a long-tailed plaid halter which almost makes a very bare suit of itself, and is designed to be worn with knit jersey shorts that go over it. A plaid full-cut midgy (bathing-suit length) is pulled over this, making a three-piece outfit.

All of these are elegance ideas, and amongst his less-brief bathing suits is a red linen bathing suit edged in white, and a white and black striped bathing suit with a high collar, and is designed to be worn with knit jersey shorts that go over it. A plaid full-cut midgy (bathing-suit length) is pulled over this, making a three-piece outfit.

Tina Lee's Cambodian bathos make swim and beach dresses with bound Siamese bra and separate Siamese pleated skirts. She also makes one piece knit wool swim suits, strapless and cleverly contrived to fold around the figure and button in back. Rabbit's hair beach sweaters are perfect makes for these swim suits, or, for that matter, make ideal cover-ups for bare shoulders anytime of day or evening. Many of these are gaily sequined.

Joel Walker's beach and play shirts are wide and roomy—pleasing contrast to the streamlined pants that go with them.

Joan Denies Rumour

Joan Crawford declared those reports about her getting married in Canada were ridiculous.

"I haven't even any intention of getting married," she says. "And no reporter talked to me before that story broke at Cranbrook. The first newsman I talked to was at Victoria eight days later."



THE PIXIE-HOOD SHIRT
Mrs. Derek Gaylor, from Streatham.



THE CHECK DRESS
Pauline Tinkler, from Beckenham

basket pearls and a three-strand choker pearl necklace.

Comment from Jane Keeneth Kemp: "There was just enough room left in the car for me to bring two pairs of trousers and a blazer—but that seems enough for a man."

In Bournemouth's shopping centre checks were popular: check skirts worn with matching tops and berets, check mackintoshes with hoods. Gaily patterned golfing umbrellas were put up at intervals to ward off showers.

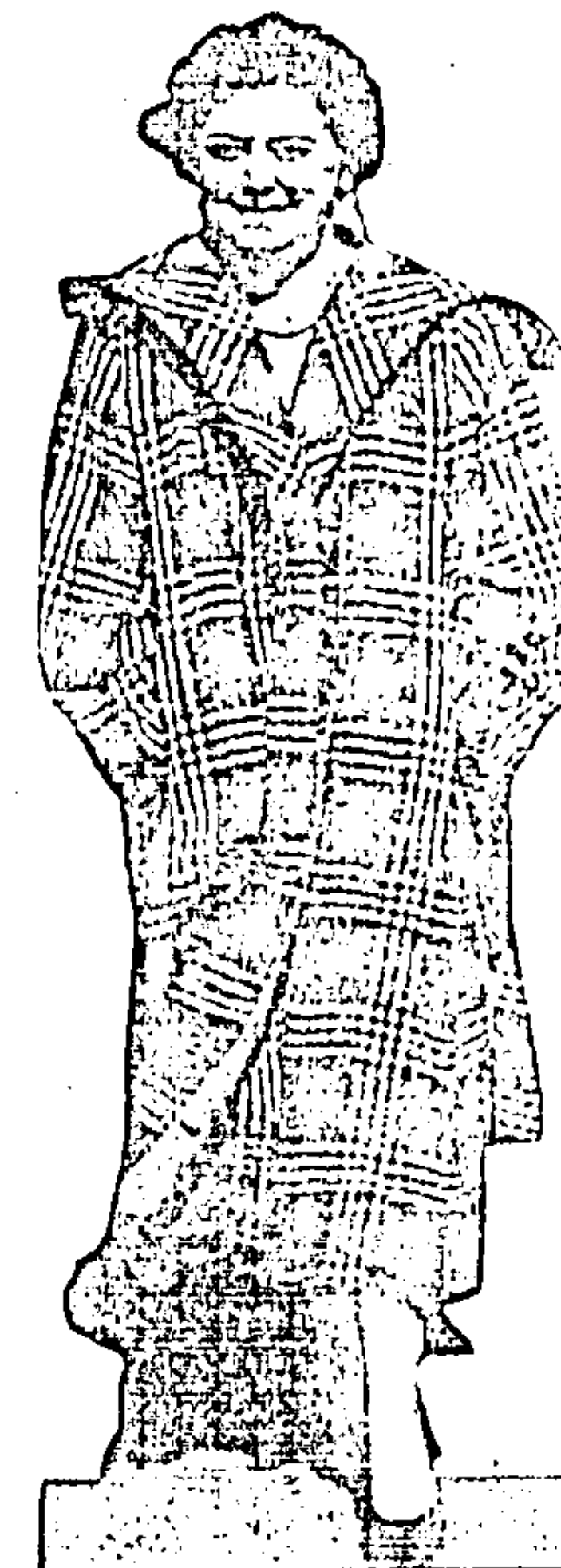
Yellow Shoes

Foreign visitors seem less scared of unconventional colour contrast. Wherever a bright colour scheme caught my eye the wearer turned out to be a foreigner. A Czechoslovakian milliner, 20-year-old Marta Mendl, wore dark grey flannel trousers, tightly rolled to the calf to look like jeans, yellow suede shoes, fuchsia socks and sweater, and a powder blue cardigan. A royal blue brightly patterned scarf was knotted casually under the collar of her sweater.

I found 20-year-old Maureen Farrell from Manchester sitting near the beach at Branksome Chine in a cocktail frock. She had been going to a tea dance, then changed her mind. Her chandelier earrings and choker necklace were composed of tiny twisted strands of white beads.

FASHION NOTE FOR MEN: Comedian Billy Whitaker, from Bournemouth, wore satin swimming trunks patterned with coloured fish.

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THE TRAVEL COAT
Maureen Farrell makes a change.

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Men Like Textured Fabrics

By ELIZABETH TOOMEY

NEW YORK.

NUBBY, plain-coloured fabrics are becoming more and more popular in home decorating, and men may be responsible.

"Men like textured fabrics," said Mrs. Emily Hunter, stylist for the F. Schumacher Fabric Company.

"More men come along with their wives when it's time to pick out a new covering for the living room sofa. They either pick vibrant colours, or choose a room in monochrome shades. In either case, they like textured fabrics."

She also thinks men are less likely to end up with a room that looks like a hodgepodge of decorating fashions. They stick with one or two colours.

Male Tastes

She planned some room schemes on the basis of male tastes. One was a room for the man who preferred monochrome shading. The colour scheme was made up of the warm earth shades—rust, greens and browns.

A documentary print in a pleasant design, green against a natural background, was used for the draperies. The couch was covered in moss green textured cotton. A cotton stripe in soft shades of salmon, rust, gray, beige and green was used for the extra chairs.

For the walls, if the room was to be a study or a den, she sug-

gested one of the wallpapers that resembles wood paneling.

For the man who favours vibrant colours, Mrs. Hunter picked a green background with a green and black pattern of dots of gold and black. A dull gold cotton chug rug was used on the floor. The couch was covered with a heavy textured cotton and rayon fabric in dark green, highlighted with gold metallic threads. A few accessories in the room, including extra pillows and an upholstered desk chair, were done in bright red.

Whether men are responsible or not, other fabric lines reflect the all-out acceptance of textured decorating materials.

Patio Cloth

A heavy woven fabric that looks like tapestry, yet has a contemporary pattern, was shown in the new line of the Moss Rose Manufacturing Company. One pattern, called patio cloth, has a light, all-over design that resembles the irregular flagstones of a patio floor.

Household Hints

To remove fish odours from your hands, moisten hands and rub them with dry salt, followed by warm soap water. Finish the job by rubbing hands with the rim of a freshly squeezed lemon.

The little bone punch used in working eyelets makes a very handy tool for pulling basting.



Dinner Without Dessert Is Like A Shirt Without A Tail

THERE was once a man who said, "Dinner without dessert is like a shirt without a tail." Homely, but true. Most of us need more protein in our three meals a day, but we also need dessert. It's a good hint to a meal. Fruit if we're on the plump side, otherwise a special dessert chosen to round out the meal. A custard, a cottage cheese or milk dessert, if we've been a bit short on meat; a pie or rich cake if we've held down the other fat calories; a fluffy gelatin whip or meringue for a touch of lightness.

"We've not said much about Bavarians. Chief, because they are made with whipped cream and are a bit on the expensive side. But of all the cold desserts they are the most glamorous, and at the same time, easy to make. They always consist of some thickened gelatin base, best made with unflavoured gelatin so the flavour of the dessert can be controlled. This might be maple, peach, pineapple, orange, chocolate or strawberry."

Sunday's Dinner

Jellied or Hot Consomme
Roast Pork or Veal
Brown Gravy
Pan Roast Potatoes
Apparatus Cooked in Milk
Tomato-Sliced Salad
Strawberry Bavarian
Coffee, Tea or Milk
All Measurements Are Level
Recipes Serve Four

Tomato-Sliced Salad

Wash 1 large tomato; cut in 4 thick slices. Heap with any of the following combinations and serve in nests of lettuce, a little French dressing poured over. A choice of toppings might be: Fine-chopped cucumbers and hard-cooked eggs, mayonnaise and horse-radish; or fine-chopped red radishes with minced celery, grated carrot and mayonnaise or Smithfield ham spread.

Wash and hull 2 heaping c. fresh strawberries; rub through a coarse sieve. Meanwhile add 1 envelope unflavoured gelatin to 1/4 c. cold water. Let stand 5 min. Then dissolve by standing over boiling water. Stir rapidly into the strawberry juice and chill until beginning to thicken, fork.

Whip 1 c. heavy cream until stiff, gradually beating in 1/4 c. powdered sugar. Fold into the strawberry mixture. Rinse 8 individual moulds with cold water, fill with the strawberry cream. Chill until firm, about 4 hrs. Unmould and serve garnished with whole sugared strawberries. Top with whipped cream.

Dinner

Cream of Spinach Soup
Fish Mediterranean Style
Green Onion Sauce
Noodles Escalloped with Tomatoes
String Beans
Banana Betty with Whipped Topping
Coffee, Tea or Milk

Fish Mediterranean Style

Porgies, bluefish, small mackerel or fish fillets may be used. Clean, wash and salt the fish. Chill in the refrigerator for 1 hr. or more. Then brush with equal parts of salad oil and lemon juice. Sprinkle both sides with oregano. Broil the fish close to the heat for 10 min. Then brush with a little more salad oil and lemon juice and turn to brown. Serve with green onion sauce, a garnish of parsley and sliced lemon.

Green Onion Sauce: Beat together 2 tbsp. olive or salad oil, 1/2 tsp. prepared mustard, 1/2 tsp. lemon juice, 1/4 tsp. pepper, 1/4 tsp. salt, and 1/4 tsp. sugar. Add 1/4 c. fine-chopped young onions.

Banana Betty

Crumb enough white bread to make 2 c. fry until light brown in 2 tbsp. butter or margarine. Then add 1/3 c. sugar, 1 1/2 tsp. lemon juice and 1/2 tsp. cinnamon. Next peel and slice 3 good-sized ripe bananas. Layer the fried crumb mixture and bananas in an oiled baking dish or individual baking dishes. Make the top layer crumbs. Pour in 1/4 c. any kind fruit juice and bake 25 min. at 375 F. Serve warm.

Trick of the Chef

To crumb bread easily use a



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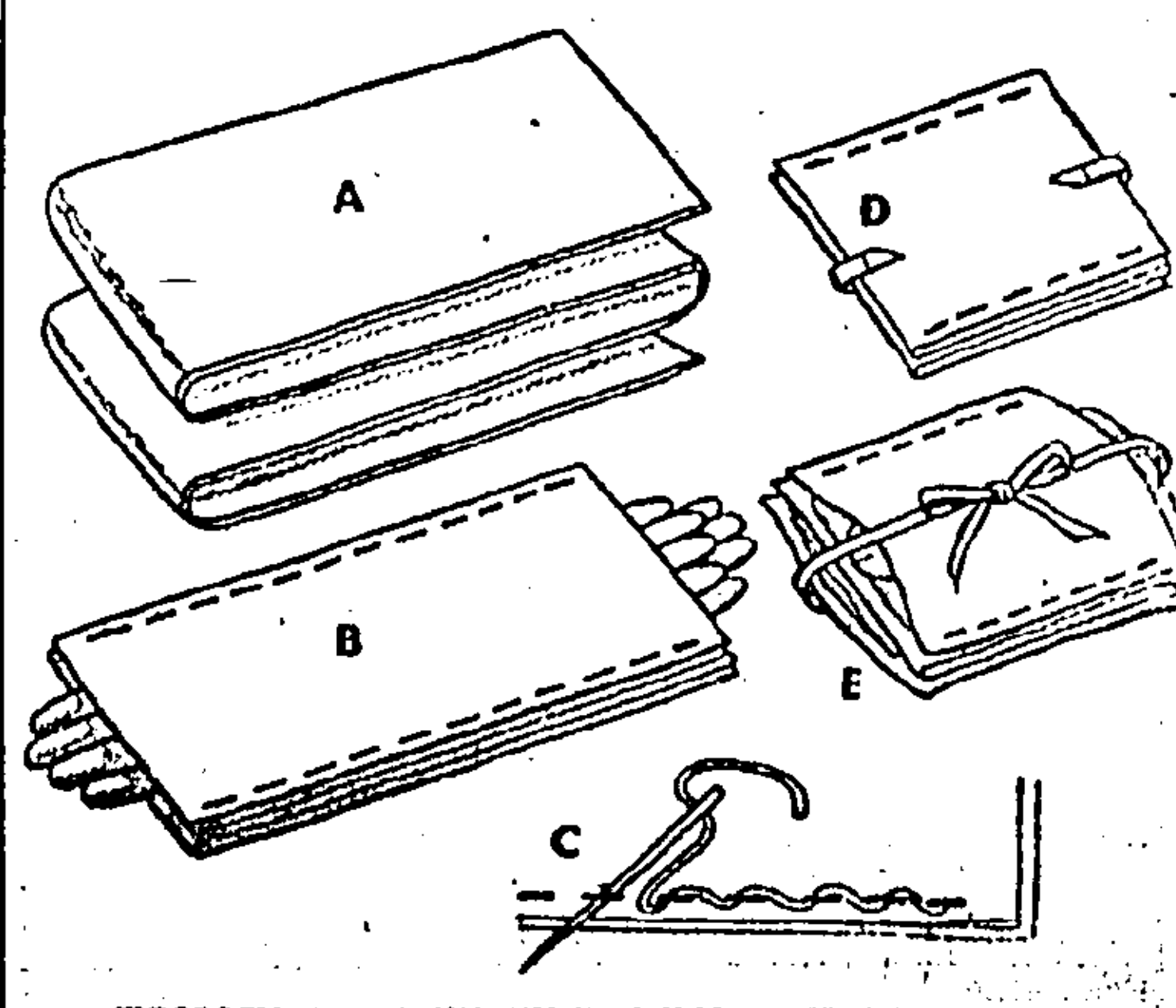
Glove Case. Buy 2 2/3 yds. of 5/8" rayon ribbon in your favourite colour.

Stitch cut ends together, using a 1/2" seam and so that seam comes on wrong side of ribbon. Press seam open.

Fold piece right side out into one long strip of two thicknesses of ribbon. Pin edges together to keep them even. Fold in four even folds, as in A. Pin selvage edges together on each side so that you have three pockets for gloves, two at one end and one at the other.

With buttonhole twist in matching or contrasting colour, sew edges of each side together with a long running stitch as in B. Make stitches about 1/4" long and sew through all thicknesses. Start and finish with a back stitch to prevent ends pulling apart. Do not draw thread too tight.

Next time you give stockings as a gift, add this "special touch" by inserting them in a case like this, that you have made yourself. Either of these cases may be made very nicely of strips of fabric—all seams concealed, of course.



TOMORROW: THE EVER-READY JIFFY JACKET

Beach Rompers



TERRY cloth rompers that slip neatly over a wet bathing suit keep Doreen Evans warm after a swim at Miami Beach. Particularly useful after swimming in cooler climes, the beach rompers zip all the way down the front with a self belt. (Acme).

London Diary:

Bevin Will Miss Parliament

Mr Ernest Bevin sails for New York on September 7. He will be away until the first week of October. So he will miss the meeting of Parliament, recalled for September 12. That is, unless Mr Attlee accedes to the request of Mr Churchill and Mr Clement Davies, to summon MPs earlier.

Mr Bevin goes for talks with Mr Dean Acheson, U.S. Secretary of State, and to attend a meeting of the Foreign Ministers of the North Atlantic Treaty nations.

FOOTBALL SMASHED

THE egg that Mary had will not hatch out a king penguin chick at the Zoo.

The egg was removed from king penguin Mary after her death. It was given to her consort Nelson to incubate. Nelson did not want it, gave it to Tubby. But he, too, was reluctant. For a week eight king penguins have been playing football with the egg.

Then, one day it was found smashed.

FOUR TIMES A DFC

Engagement of Wing Commander Norman Ryder, four times winner of the DFC, is announced. He is to marry Miss Jeanne Macintyre, daughter of Mr and Mrs James M. Macintyre, of Dolphin Square, S.W.

In 1940, after shooting down an enemy aircraft, he was forced to land his own aeroplane on the sea. It sank and he was trapped 30 feet under the water. But he freed himself from the cockpit, swam to the surface, was later picked up by a trawler.

Wing Commander Ryder was later taken prisoner in Germany.

HER BULLFIGHTER

Thirty American soldiers, wartime friends, are waiting in New York to greet actress Hermione Gingold a party.

Her friends will be surprised when they see her hat. Miss Gingold describes it as "a sub-tropical arrangement of red skull cap with coloured pompons dangling all over it."

She calls it: My bullfighter.

BIGGER BREAD SUBSIDY

The Ministry of Food have gone some way towards meeting complaints that baking are losing money by baking bread. These complaints were made to Mr Maurice Webb by a deputation on August 3.

You Can Build A Racing Car For £100

The most interesting exhibit at the "Model Engine" Silver Jubilee Exhibition, which has been filling London's new Horticultural Hall with its usual throngs of young and old fanatics, was not a model at all. It was a genuine racing car, capable of more than 110 miles per hour, which the average "home" engineer can, with reasonable workshop facilities, build for himself for about £100.

Several have already been raced in public by the new "500 Club." This number has nothing to do with membership, but refers to the cubic capacity of the engine. It is in fact a five stud J.A.P. "dirt track" racing motorcycle engine.

The high cost of motor racing forced a number of enthusiasts to evolve a light chassis powered by this engine, which gives as much pleasure to the driver as the larger and more expensive makes and they banded themselves together to foster and encourage amateur construction and to organize competitions.

It looks a rough job, and not at all the sort of wagon in which one takes the girl friend for a spin, but it serves its real purpose. The body is beaten from sheet aluminium. Suspension is by independent wishbones on all four wheels, in conjunction with adjustable rubber "springs." Hydraulic brakes are fitted with two leading shoe types on the front, actuated through twin master cylinders. The chassis is of aluminium channel section, with welded tubular members forming bridge and aft to carry the suspension.

MODEL LOANS

For those with lesser ambitions and smaller bank balances, the Exhibition also showed how a bicycle can be transformed into a motor-bike. In the back garden for only £231, one firm displayed a simple cylinder four port two-stroke engine of 47 c.c., bore 1½ ins, stroke 1½ ins, which has been specially designed to fit into any bicycle frame and can be built at home. Fitted with this unit, a bicycle will take a ten stone rider up to 25 m.p.h., and a petrol consumption of 250 miles per gallon.

In the model loan section, outstanding exhibits were a replica, with a 9 ft. wing span, of the 140-ton, 10-engine "Princess" flying boat now being built at East Cowes to carry over 100 passengers non-stop from Britain to New York; an eight-foot long radio-controlled twin-engine Dakota; and a one-tenth scale model of an E.R.A. racing car.

The latter, considered by experts as the finest of its kind in the world and approved by those famous racing drivers, Raymond Mays, Peter Bertheron and Humphrey Cook, has been built so exactly like the real car that it can be stripped down, nut by nut, to the bare chassis, which is of correct channel section. It contains about 4,000 pieces and is finished in the original E.R.A. racing colours of pale green, with pale blue upholstery and black wheels.

One, a "Model" type model locomotive, which is 16 feet long and weighs 11 cwt, built by L.C.G., L. Billington of Haywards Heath nearly 20 years to build. Army weapons and transport were conspicuous by their absence, but aircraft types were well represented, starting with 1915 French Nieuport Scouts and 1918 biplanes and leading up to Spitfires and Airspeed Ambassadors.

There was even the model of a helicopter, rubber-driven, built by 15-year-old Jeremy Cotes of Harpenden, Hertfordshire, who has built a flying saucer, powered by a Diesel engine.

Another had of the same age, Ken Thompson, of Leyton, Essex, produced minute models of a 1918 Albatross, a Spitfire and a Meteor Jet—all three of which can be accommodated on the surface of a penny without over-crowding. They have movable propellers, too.

TWO SHIPS
The ingenuity of these modern amateur craftsmen is almost incredible. Take the fascinating miniature ship-in-a-bottle, for instance. Nowadays they consider it just too easy. At this year of Brooklyn, Southeast London, was displaying a 100-watt electric light bulb in which were a full-sized ship with all sails set, and an old-time galley, both resting on a foaming sea.

Mr R. F. C. Barley, of Westbury-on-Trym, Gloucestershire went even better with his three exhibits. In one bottle was a bearded Old King Cole with his fiddlers three, holding violins and bows complete. In every detail. In the second was an old stage coach and four horses, with six human figures, a dog, and some baggage on the roof of the coach. The horses' legs were less than a third of the thickness of a match.

In the last was a reproduction of that part of old Bristol known as Christmas Slips, a row of two-storied houses with picturesque shops at ground level, two tiny human figures standing in front of the shops and a hansom cab passing by in the foreground.

But for really precise craftsmanship, there was really nothing to approach the pendulum electric clock submitted by Stanley Wise of Windsor, and member of the British Horological Institute. His clock measures from base to top only 1 5/16ths inches.

To Sing At Salzburg Festival



Coal Cellar Chapel Is Dedicated

A tiny chapel, 8ft. by 7ft., has just been dedicated by the Bishop of Kensington, the Right Rev. Cyril Eastaugh. Until recently it was the coal cellar of a tall Victorian house in Courtfield Gardens, Earl's Court, London.

Now, its walls treated with a waterproofing preparation and then disintegrated old gold, it has a diminutive altar with curtains and canopy of maroon blue brocade, and a switch at the door in the area operates a hidden fluorescent light.

For there is, of course, no window.

The story behind this little chapel goes back to V. J. Day, five years ago. To a ten-shop by Trafalgar Square where three young men of around 20, strangers to one another, happened to sit at the same table.

FOUNDED SOCIETY

No light-hearted joking for these three. They talked of

BIGGEST EVER BIF IN 1951

Plans for the "biggest-ever" British Industries Fair—in London and Birmingham next spring are going ahead, despite Government decisions to switch over many factories to arms production.

Already there has been a tremendous demand from exhibitors for space to display their wares to buyers from all parts of the world.

A special effort is being made to attract buyers from the United States and Canada. Board of Trade officials are in America now organising a big campaign.

POOLED SAVINGS

"It is almost impossible for them to get decent lodgings," said, shyly, mannered Brother Michael said.

The three young men pooled all their savings to buy a house in Harrow for £2,500. There they housed eight coloured students.

Said Brother Michael: "It got so crowded that Brother Hugh and I had no room and slept in cupboards."

Now, financed by Sir Robert Mayer, treasurer of the International Student Service and founder of the famous children's concerts, the society, turned into a limited, non-profit-making company, have bought that tall Victorian house in Courtfield Gardens for £7,500.

THE Trapp Family Singers, Austrian vocal group, kneel in prayer on the deck of the Queen Mary before sailing from New York. They will sing at the annual music festival at Salzburg, Austria, on their first visit to Europe since 1939. (Acme).

Queen's Hall Rebuilding Delay

What is holding up plans for rebuilding London's Queen's Hall? Government pronouncements on the subject now prove to have been wildly over-optimistic.

In March 1949, Mr Herbert Morrison declared Queen's Hall would be rebuilt in time for the 1951 Festival. Two months later, Mr Cleeve, then Financial Secretary to the Treasury, said a licence for rebuilding had been granted and talks were going on about the costs to be provided.

But there is no hall and no chance at all that there will be one in time for the Festival.

FIVE YEARS MORE

The Commissioners of Crown Lands, as ground landlords, have been negotiating for years with Chappells, the music publishers, who won the lease and ran the old Queen's Hall.

The Commissioners say the matter is "certainly not sleeping." It is "being seriously considered."

Will it be 10 years before the Hall is built? Not so long as that; it may be more like five years.

There are stories of hitches and interminable negotiations. But one thing seems evident: Government enthusiasm for the new Queen's Hall diminishes as Mr Morrison sees his Festival Hall going up on the South Bank.

TURKEY'S POLITICAL SWITCH

London, Aug. 31.
Dr Malcolm Barr, of Istanbul, wrote today in the magazine, Fortnightly, published here, that the Turkish Republican Party would disintegrate if it failed to change its mentality and to form a genuine opposition.

That would mean a return to a single-party Government "with all its dangers," Dr Barr wrote.

He was commenting on the results of the Turkish general election, in which the Republicans were heavily defeated after 21 years of power. The Government, he said, could expect no mercy from their opponents. "The Government are not hesitating in ventilating old scandals though there are those who regret this washing of dirty linen in public and some of the linen is dirty indeed."

The Democrats, who have come to power, "are full of confidence and have, begun well, and they have the support of all the well-meaning - but in the country," Dr Barr reported. —Reuter.

Move Termed An Insult

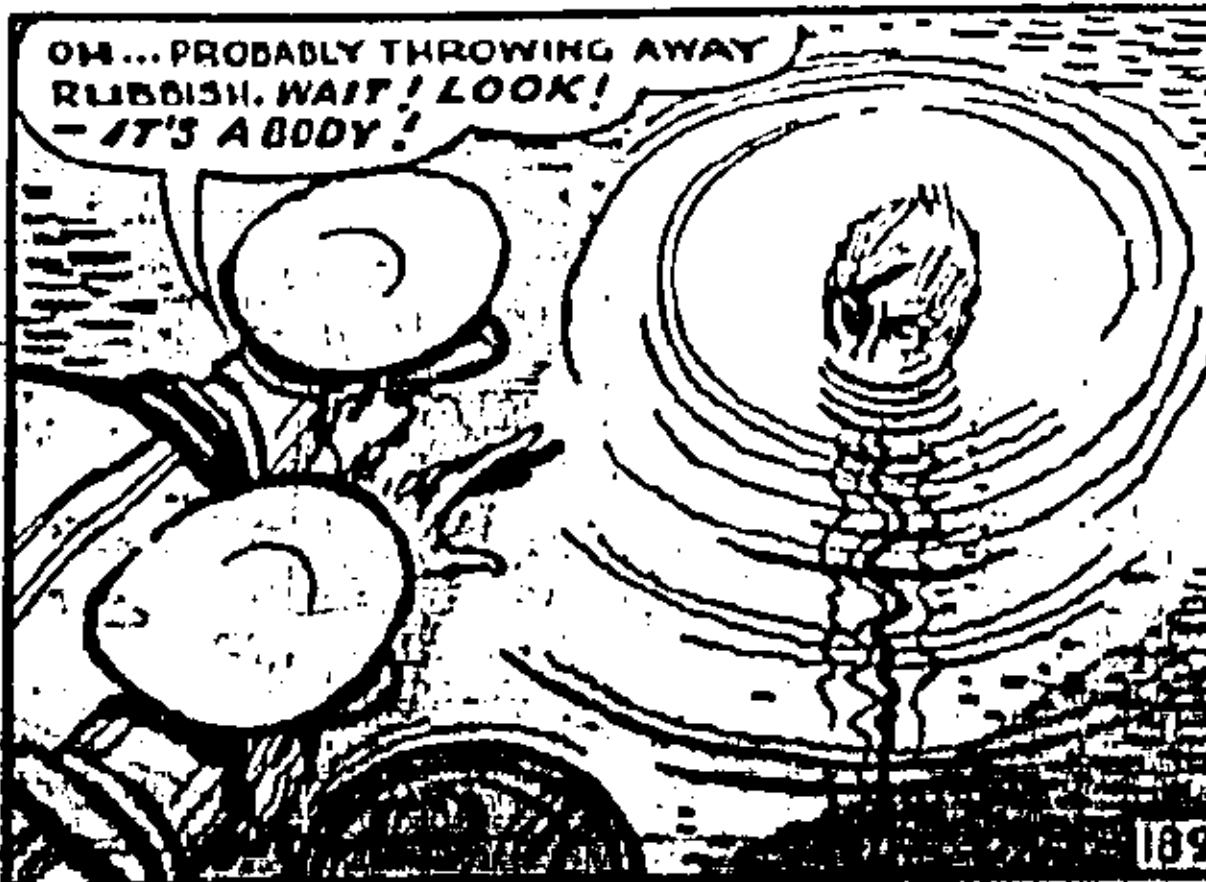
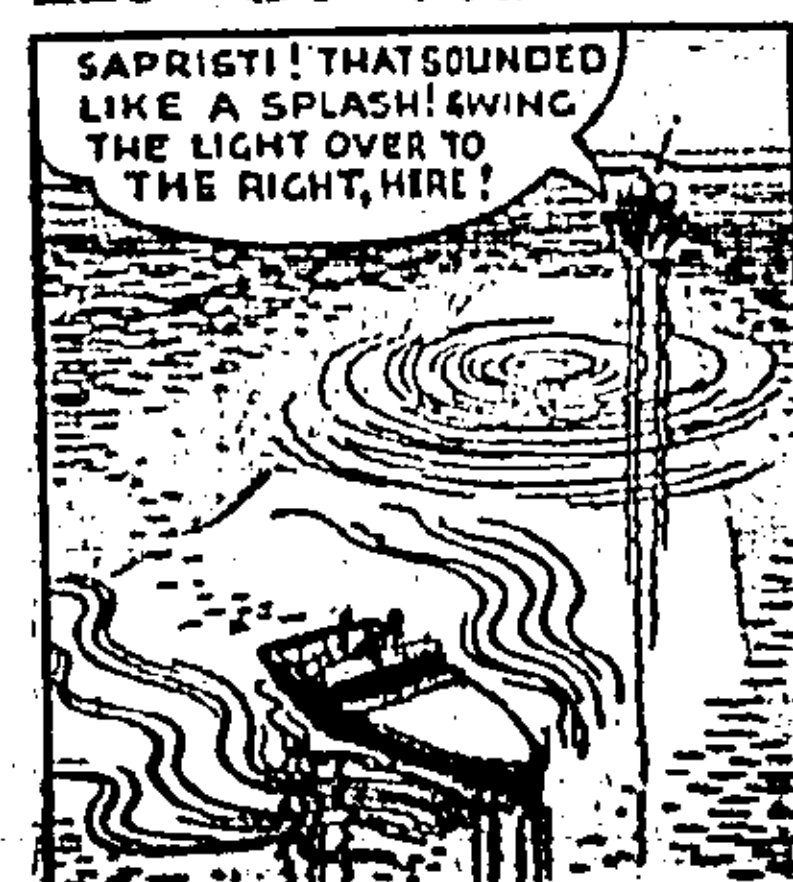
Melbourne, Aug. 31.
Mr M. Ashkanasy, K.C., President of the Executive Council of Australian Jewry, said today that a plan to admit Germans to Australia was "an insult to the memory of their dear ones who perished at the hands of the Nazi murderers." The admission of Germans was approved by the Minister at Immigration, Mr Harold Holt, in February.—Reuter.

Helicopter Saves Time



PHILIP D. Amour, Jr., walks away from his helicopter atop an office building in Chicago, after flying from his home in Lake Forest. Amour leased a 2,000-foot roof area for landing. The helicopter hop takes in 22 minutes, while the time by car takes more than an hour. (Acme).

K. O. CANNON THE RIDDLE OF THE ROME REBELS



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Hitting Them Hard In 'Drury Lane'

By Frank Goldsworthy

WITH THE FLEET. The tall, youngish man with tousled hair banged a map-board down on to the table, tossed his flying helmet on to a chair, and zipped his suit down from a sweat-darkened patch at the neck.

A lieutenant-commander looked up from a pile of air maps and photographs. Above the clamour of fans and machinery he said: "Have you been to Drury Lane?"

"No," said the pilot. "I've been to the Windmill this afternoon. It was very dull."

The scene was the intelligence reporting room—they call it the briefing room now—in a British aircraft carrier some 9,000 miles from Piccadilly.

The ship was steaming through the Yellow Sea at a discreet distance from the Communist-held West Korean coastline.

Drury Lane, Windmill, Apollo, Savoy, Criterion, and Coliseum were but nostalgic theatre names for patrol areas among the islands and inlets.

The sea, said the pilots, was almost as inactive as the land.

Here and there, coastal craft, usually crewless were potential supply carriers, and therefore merited the expenditure of aircraft rockets.

That, simply stated—and the Navy prefers it that

why—was the average picture; but as the days passed, there came the high-lights, when crews returned with empty rocket racks and beaming faces.

Like the time when, along Drury Lane, Lieutenant Ronald Forrest, of Grange Road, Bedford, and his observer, Chief Petty Officer Jim Churchill, of Woodcote Estate, Gosport, found that what seemed at first sight three green islands were in fact three small, camouflaged North Korean gun-boats.

Like a tree Chief Petty Officer John Greenfield, of West Wickham, Kent, who was flying in an accompanying firefly with commissioned pilot Derek Collingswood, said later:—

"They were as full of foliage as a tree. They had something like gorse stuck on every part that would carry it."

Forrest dived for a rocket attack on one of the ships. He reported: "I am sure I got something. Stuff blew up in the air all round the plane, but I had no time to look."

"There were splashes in the water close by, and I think I was being fired on by other ships."

Lieutenant Sammy Mearns, from St Mary's, Cornwall, was cruising round the Savoy with Lieutenant Derek Bridgman, from Paignton, Devon, and Chief Petty Officer Kenneth Clegg, from Halifax, Yorks, when they sighted three coastal cargo junks with their bows on the beach.

They made two rocket and four cannon attacks.

Said Sammy Mearns: "The sterns just disappeared. If they carried supplies before, they won't carry them any more."

Scattered round Chinnampo, the "Portsmouth" of North Korea, the Seafire cameras found five ships. All looked as if their crews had decided it would be healthier to live ashore.

Twelve aircraft flown from the ship a few hours later made sure three would be no point in the crews changing their minds.

The little flak reported has been sparse and inaccurate.

(London Express Service)

CRAB-MEAT CONDON FIGHTS ON

NEW YORK.

THE tanned, slightly built young veteran of Okinawa who stopped the unloading of Russian crabmeat and furs from British ships in New York, is going further with his campaign.

His name: Longshoreman James Condon.

His aim: "To show the Russians that the working people are fed up with Russia."

"I am not anti-British or anti-American," Condon told me, "but I feel they are our partners in this fight against Communism. But we do not like the action of the British Government in sending crabmeat over here."

BRITISH PARTNERS

"We like the British," he said, "but we feel they are our partners in this fight against Communism. But we do not like the action of the British Government in sending crabmeat over here."

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"FED UP"

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The Longshoreman has a cold war of his own

(By A Special Correspondent)

Thirty-three years old and grandson of a longshoreman, Condon has been trying to organize a boycott of Russian exports for more than two months. He persuaded 25 longshoremen friends to help to form an anti-Communist Veterans' Post. Membership has soared. A quarter of the members wear the Purple Heart decoration.

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Condon's Veterans' Post are active on other fronts of the

propaganda war. Day and night his Post are turning out leaflets in French, Polish, German, Italian, Russian, Rumanian. They are placed inside cargoes of ships leaving for Europe.

Nearly all the leaflets are composed by Condon himself. One, aimed at French dockworkers, says: "Yes we have loaded arms to France. We have also sent to France thousands of headstones for our soldiers who will never come home. Please don't let them down. They would never rest in any totalitarian ruled country."

Condon is a pacifist at heart but believes that when another country makes trouble the only way to meet it is with courage.

He does not think the United States should use the atom bomb. He does believe America should tell Russia now that any further acts of aggression, even if made by another satellite, would mean war with the United States.

Condon, who has three children, points out, "My eldest

son, now 12, will have to fight soon for us, unless we do something right now about the international situation." He is proud of his work as longshoreman (though he wants his two sons to take up one of the professions "where they get well paid"), because he feels it can be an important factor in improving international relations.

He believes that stopping the flow of trade with an aggressor can be used as a powerful weapon.

NEXT: THE BATORY

Condon is waiting with relief for the next entry of the Polish liner Batory to New York. His members intend to give that ship "the works." No cargo will be moved from it unless it is from countries outside the Iron Curtain.

Condon said his group had developed its own detective force which would discover in advance what the ship carried.

Condon does not look the tough fighter. He is. The only thing which marks his association with ships is a tattoo on the right arm showing two hearts. He admitted blushing when it was put on for a pretty girl he met 14 years ago in New York. She is now the mother of his three children.

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Background story of a King's romance

By a Special Correspondent in Egypt

THE most eagerly talked of girl in the world today is Narriman Sadek, currently reported to be motoring across France to meet King Farouk, with the dazzling prospect of becoming Queen of Egypt.

Very little is known about her, even in Cairo. Even less is known about the background of her romance. This is the story.

It has been told that the king first saw her in a jeweller's shop. That is true. But it was the shop of no ordinary jeweller.

Ahmed Nageeb Pasha is the court jeweller of Egypt, and he knows most of the secrets of the royal palace.

He knew that King Farouk, celebrating in his family circle his grand-

father's birthday, had said, "My brothers, too many of us are bachelors. I hope you are thinking of marriage—of having children. If some of us have been married and failed to have heirs—we must try again."

And the jeweller knew that King Farouk wanted a queen to share the throne of the Pharaohs—a queen tall, blonde and beautiful.

So when Ahmed Nageeb Pasha saw 16-year-old Narriman Sadek come into his exclusive shop with her betrothed—Zaki Hashim, a young diplomat—to choose her engagement ring, he said he had a cheaper but nicer ring for her. Would she come back in four days? The young girl was delighted.

The jeweller immediately telephoned to King Farouk. "I think you would like to meet her," he said. But the king was not impressed until he heard that the girl was to be married the following Thursday. That was last November.

Invitations in Narriman's schoolgirl handwriting had already been sent out.

So the king in turn phoned his jeweller. The girl's mother was "instructed." Narriman must dress in green.

THE meeting was fixed for 7 o'clock on Tuesday—two days before the arranged marriage. Narriman came with her parents—her father was a civil servant.

The king arrived—after ten awkward minutes—with his confidential secretary. He asked the girl her age, where she had been at school, and whether she had brothers or sisters.

George Axelsson

She told him that she is an only child.

"It is hot in here," said the king. "Wouldn't you like to take off your coat?"

The girl did as he suggested. He watched her.

The court jeweller had a photograph of Farouk on a bureau in his salon. Would Narriman bring the picture to him?

Graceful SHE walked gracefully. The king watched her intently.

Ahmed Nageeb Pasha asked Narriman's parents to wait outside in their car.

Alone with her, Farouk took the engagement ring off the girl's finger, threw it away, and said that she should not wear such a thing. He called the jeweller to bring a better one.

The jeweller did so, and asked her to kiss the hand of their king.

"No," said Farouk. "I will kiss your cheek because you are to be Queen of Egypt."

But this, he told Narriman, was to be a secret—a top secret.

Nobody had to be told. Within two hours the whole of Cairo knew the story. All the newspapers in Egypt next day carried the news, instantly the palace denied that there was any truth in it. There were other immediate repercussions. Orders came to Narriman's parents that Narriman must stay in her home until told she could leave it.

The king, they were told, would come for tea with her.

On the day the order came the Sadek family prepared a hospitable reception for the royal suitor. Tea cakes were ordered from the shop of the famous Groppl.

But the king did not come. He did not come the next day, or the next day, nor during the next two weeks.

Narriman became very unhappy. Then one day her father was called to the palace and told that he must resign his post as Secretary-General of the Ministry of Information, because it would not be proper for the king to marry the daughter of an official.

More weeks passed. Then, at 11 o'clock one night, the king knocked at the Sadeks' door. With him were the Press Counsellor, Karim Sabet Pasha—who at Deauville made the first public statement that Farouk would wed Narriman in the spring—and his wife—who is believed to have been chosen to be the lady-in-waiting for the future queen.

The Sadek family—father, mother, and Narriman—were in pyjamas when the king arrived, and there was a few minutes of wild scurry while they dressed.

The king asked Narriman to make some coffee. She brought three cups for the visitors.

Not in black

THE next time the king saw Narriman was in April when her father died and Farouk drove to her house to offer condolences, and to instruct her not to dress in black—he didn't like black.

The first authentic hint that Farouk intended to marry Narriman was given when he ordered that the Prime Minister and other Ministers should take part in her father's funeral procession, wearing formal dress.

King Farouk has met Narriman on no other occasion than the three I have described in this article. Had he wished to meet her, secretly or otherwise, he did not need to leave Egypt to do so.

The fact of these three isolated meetings might suggest the king has found no compelling infatuation for Narriman. But it must always be remembered that above all things Farouk desires a male heir!

An heir

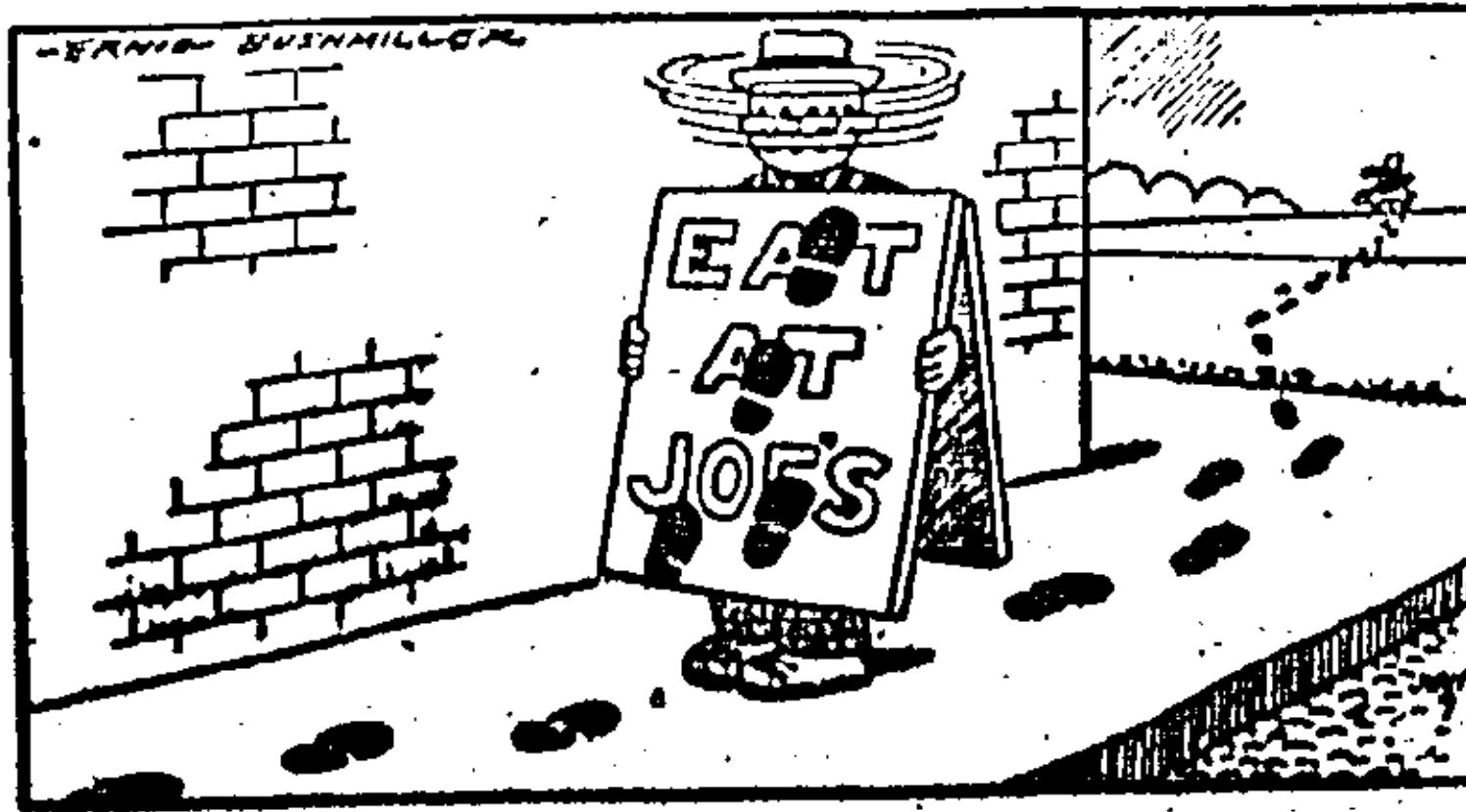
COULD Narriman bear the king a son? An interesting fact never yet stated is that she comes of a family that has consistently produced daughters.

Herself an only daughter; her father's brother had three daughters; and her aunt had three daughters.

(London Express Service)

NANCY Gangplanked

By Ernie Bushmiller



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Buying Huge Supplies Of Rubber From Enemies Of Communism

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

London, Aug. 31.

Although Russia is dependent on the Sterling Area for several vital raw materials, the only commodity which she might have been acquiring for stockpiling is rubber. This is the conclusion of a correspondent who analyses the trade between the United Kingdom and countries behind the Iron Curtain in today's Financial Times.

Russian purchases of Malayan tin and rubber and Australian wool — the principal Empire commodities of which she is a large buyer — are financed with considerable amounts of Sterling which form a surplus of trade between Britain and Eastern Europe. This surplus amounted in the first six months of this year to £15.8 million on exports of £25.4 million.

Russian exports to Britain consist largely of timber and grain. She gets in return certain heavy industrial equipment. This trade, though small in comparison with Britain's total overseas trade, is important — perhaps too important to risk the political consequences of cutting it off.

A far more complicated question is that of Russian purchases of Empire raw materials in various free markets. She has been a large buyer of Empire wool and in view of the world shortage of raw wool supplies there has been a temptation to adopt the attitude that what supplies

are available should go to the Western Powers.

No figures of Russian imports of tin from Empire sources are available, though it is thought likely that she obtains some indirectly from Malaya. These quantities are probably not very large, but Russia has a domestic supply and is also known to be getting supplies from China, through Hongkong.

Rubber is a different matter. Recent crude rubber imports by Russia and her satellites are, as a whole, appreciably up on previous years. This, together with the fact that Russian production of synthetic rubber is by all accounts rapidly expanding, leads to the conclusion that at least some of her natural rubber being imported is surplus to her immediate requirements and that, therefore, the strategic stockpile is being built up.

MALAYAN ECONOMY

In a leading article accompanying the Financial Times points out that Russian purchases of rubber are an important factor in the Malayan economy. There is a potential surplus of production over consumption and if Russia withdrew—or was forced to withdraw—from the market this surplus might assume dangerous proportions.

The newspaper also points out one of the paradoxes in the Russian policy.

While Communist handouts are seeking to undermine the Malayan economy Russia has been indirectly supporting it by establishing herself as one of the Colony's best customers for rubber.

Whether producing countries would be willing to agree to any compulsory restriction of their trade with Russia is a questionable point. In any case should Russia be prevented from drawing supplies from other sources?

The kind of decision necessary to prevent Russia building up her war potential by restricting markets could only be made with the widest international agreement, says the newspaper.

It was only one of the spheres in which the West's policy should be speedily co-ordinated.

TRUMAN'S CALL

President Truman today called on the countries of Western Europe to tighten controls on the export of strategic raw materials to Soviet Russia.

Questioned at his press conference of American controls on this type of exports were lax, President Truman replied, "It is not our job to control the flow of goods from one country to another. It is our job to see that our own country is not being exploited by other countries to further their own export controls," Mr. Truman said.—Reuter.

POHANG CLASH

Twenty-five 43-ton American tanks, mounting 90 millimetre guns, spearheaded the Pohang counter-offensive. The advance was met by Communist forces, which were repulsed after a fierce battle. The tanks then moved on, continuing the fierce hammering.

The overwhelming air and armour assault headed fleeing Communists down from the hills into a deep valley which fighter aircraft and light bombers raked with cannon fire and blasted with bombs.

American and South Korean troops put withering small-arms fire down into the valley and mortars and artillery quickly moved up, continuing the fierce hammering.

One Communist, apparently hit by anti-aircraft fire during a dive bombing attack, crashed into a hill and burst into flames before his pilot could bail out.

Remnants of the defeated Communists fled over the hills and as dusk fell tonight their own mortars were crashing in to cover the rout.

SALIENT GONE

The advance eliminated a deep salient held by three crack Communist regiments and straightened the South Korean line running from the coast to a point about four miles south of Kijung.

Further west the line crumpled under heavy Communist assaults in the Chidong area, the South Koreans' Eighth Division falling back for more than a mile into new positions.

Between there and the deep gash made by the Communists south of Ulsung, the whole front was ablaze with artillery fire throughout the night, and today General MacArthur's aircraft swept over and pocked the area with bomb bursts.

The out-numbered and weary South Koreans tried vainly for hours to stem the on-rush of Communist men and armour.—Reuter and United Press.

ASSAM'S VALLEY OF DEATH

Calcutta, Aug. 31.

Thousands of square miles of the North Indian province of Assam have been turned into a vast "valley of death" by flood waters unleashed by the earthquake on August 15 which changed the face of the earth and the Brahmaputra River threatened to flood Gauhati, largest city in Assam.

Reports from Gauhati said that if the five-mile-wide river rose another 18 inches it might spill over its banks and lay waste to the town. Reports added that there was widespread apprehension in the city.

Gauhati is a commercial town of more than 20,000 population. Quakes and floods have damaged nearly 70 of Assam's 86 tea estates. However, the losses were estimated at only one per cent of the total tea investment.—United Press.

Seventh Fleet To Withdraw At End Of War

Washington, Aug. 31.

President Truman today gave assurances that the United States Seventh Fleet would be withdrawn from Formosa waters on the termination of the Korean war.

At the outbreak of the Korean war President Truman ordered the United States Seventh Fleet to prevent any attack on Formosa.

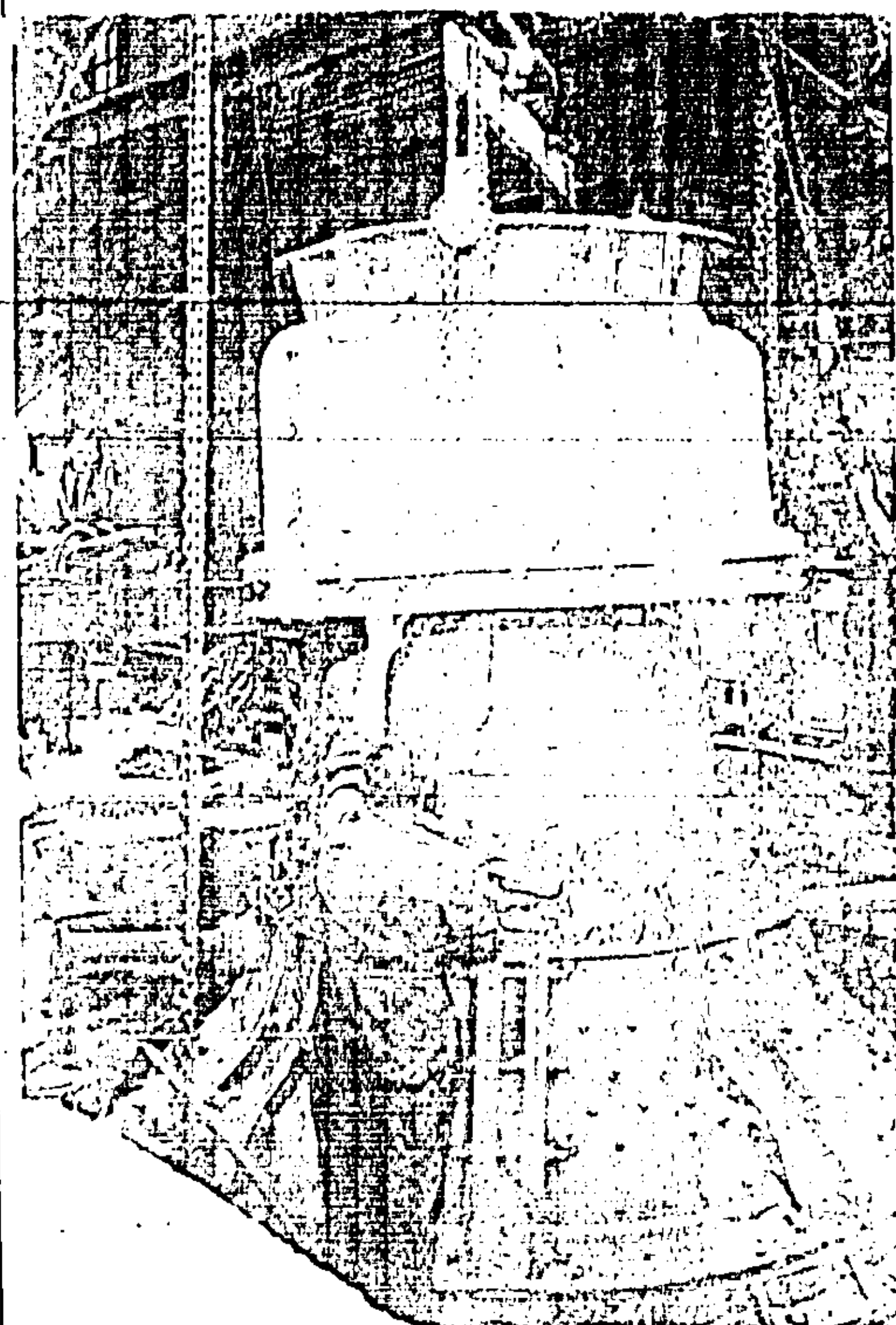
The President was asked at his press conference whether his recent letter to the United States, representative to the United Nations, meant that when peace and security were restored in Korea the Seventh Fleet would be withdrawn.—Reuter.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"What do you mean, you can't go back to him now? Your father and I vowed we were separating nine times, and finally got tired of running in and out!"

"Freedom Bell" For Berlin



Weighing ten tons and standing eight feet in height, a new bell is being made in London. It is to be known as the "Freedom Bell" and it is to be set up in Berlin. On the bell is the inscription "That this world, under God, shall have a new birth of Freedom". Before the bell is set up in Berlin it will be taken to the United States for exhibition. (London Express Service).

Peking Accuses U.S. Of Trying To Extend War

Lake Success, Aug. 31.

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, Mr. Trygve Lie, today received a cable from the Chinese Communist Foreign Minister, Mr. Chou En-lai, charging the United States with making a second air attack on Chinese territory.

Mr. Chou En-lai accused the United States of seeking to extend the Korean war and violate world peace, and called for "effective measures to stop the action on the part of the United States' aggressive forces in Korea to extend the scope of their aggression."

He asked that the American forces be withdrawn immediately from Korea so that the issue will not assume more serious proportions. "I consider it most urgent that these measures should be taken without delay," he stated.

The new Chinese allegation concerns four American fighter planes which were said to have flown over from Korea into Chinese territory on the right bank of the Yalu River. The planes were said to have shot down Chinese boats, killing four Chinese fishermen and wounding several others.

ALBANIAN CHARGE

The United Nations Secretariat has received a letter from M. Michael Risti, the Albanian Deputy Foreign Minister, complaining of nine alleged armed provocations on the frontier by Greece between June 9 and 25.

The letter, dated July 7, claimed that these "provocations" were committed "intentionally" by the Greek Government "against the territorial integrity and national sovereignty" of Albania.

M. Risti protested against what he called "these new provocative acts of the Athens Government." He declared that they "continue to be convincing proof that the Athens Government deliberately provoked serious incidents to disturb peace in the Balkans and in Europe."

The letter stated that eight incidents were due to penetration of Albanian territory by Greek soldiers. It claimed that the Greeks opened up machine-gun and mortar fire and threw hand-grenades at frontier guards.

The ninth incident was alleged to have occurred when a Greek plane flew over Albanian territory.

The Albanian letter, which did not list any casualties, was sent to the United Nations Special Committee on the Balkans.—Reuter.

"FALSE INTENTIONS"

Athens, Aug. 31.

M. Jean Politis, Permanent Greek Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, today accused Mr. Jacob Malik, Soviet representative at Lake Success, of "false intentions" in his charge of terrorism against the Greek Government.

"When it is known how democratic rights are exercised elsewhere the false intentions of such allegations against Greece are understood," M. Politis declared.

"It is not possible that this interference in the internal

Malik Ending "Month Of Obstruction" In U.N. Security Council

Lake Success, Aug. 31.

Mr. Jacob Malik of Russia convened the Security Council meeting — the last in his presidential tenure — at 7.18 p.m. today. Mr. Malik opened the meeting by reading the full agenda, comprising Korea; Formosa; United States Air Force attacks on North Korea and Greece.

Mr. Malik asked the Council to give all four items immediate consideration. When asked earlier if he would attend Friday's session under the chairmanship of Sir Gladwyn Jebb of the United Kingdom, Mr. Malik had told newsmen: "We shall see."

The first speaker today was Mahmoud Fawzi Bey of Egypt, who spoke against Mr. Malik's effort to add to the Council's work-sheet an item concerning Chinese Communist allegations that American planes had raided the Manchurian-Korean border and another dealing with the execution of war prisoners in Greece.

"Is this the agenda for a day or the agenda for a century," asked Fawzi Bey. "Does this look like serious business? It is a contrast to conduct our business in this way. We shall not be singing the swan song of the Security Council, and it will not be sung in the melodious voice of the swan, but in some raucous voice which obstructs the serious business of the Council."

Fawzi Bey, whose country has been regarded as more or less independent in the propaganda battle of the past month between Greece and the West in the Council, chided Mr. Malik for his "month of obstruction" which had prevented action on the Korean war.

DID NOTHING

"We have before us many points to deal with in connection with the question of Korea and aggression upon the Republic of Korea. There are several draft resolutions regarding it. But what did we do? Nothing. We talked and talked and talked. We have not made one single real step toward solution of the question of Korea and every day we are coming down to us lower in the manner in which we conduct our business here by bringing new subjects without dealing with the first subject before us."

Mr. Malik then took the floor to take exception to Fawzi Bey's statement that the last two items had slipped into the agenda and it is the sacred duty of the Council to consider them," Mr. Malik said.

Accusing the United States Air Force of "carrying out unprovoked aggressive attacks"

on Communist China by raiding Manchuria, Mr. Malik said: "In the true light of the state of affairs today, the Council faces a war which is taking place in Korea and which was started by the ruling circles of the United States. Now a new fire is flaring up in China. Since the United States armed forces are carrying out aggressive acts against the territory of China they are destroying goods and killing people. Only today have I received a second telegram from the Government of the People's Republic of China stating that the United States Air Force is continually attacking the territory of China and killing people."

MISGIVINGS

"What kind of Fire Department is it that will look at only one fire and not look at the fire which is flaring up behind it? The Council cannot overlook any fact in any part of the world that threatens the peace of the world. That is why questions have not slipped into the agenda but have invaded it."

Dr. Ting-fu Tsiang of China was the next speaker. He said he viewed with misgivings the decision of the Council on Tuesday to include the Formosa question in the agenda.

He added that he had no alternative, but to accept it, but he would oppose discussion of Greece and of the Chinese Communist complaint against alleged United States bombings of Manchuria. He charged Mr. Malik with adding new items to the agenda to divert the Council's agenda from Korea.

"We have become the laughing stock of the world," Dr. Tsiang declared. "No matter how many discussions are held on the subject, those who have chosen to call us warmongers will continue to do so."—United Press.

Narriman In Geneva

Geneva, Aug. 31.

Narriman Sadek, the 16-year-old beauty in whom King Farouk of Egypt is said to be romantically interested, arrived here today from Bern.

She is staying incognito at one of Geneva's leading hotels with her uncle, Moustapha Sadek, and the Egyptian Ambassador, to Italy, Badri Bey, and his wife.

It is not known how long they will stay. Narriman Sadek has been at what is strict seclusion in various parts of Switzerland during the past few weeks.—Reuter.

British Paper In Moscow Ceasing Publication

London, Aug. 31.

The British Ally, the Russian-language official British weekly newspaper published by the British Embassy in Moscow, will cease publication next Sunday, the Foreign Office announced today.

An official statement issued here said that "the Soviet authorities have compelled the decision by restricting the circulation of the newspaper."

The fall in sales this year to 13,500 copies weekly means that "the newspaper can only be produced at a heavy loss," it was explained.

The British Ally was first produced during the war in August, 1942, as a counterpart to the publication by the Soviet Embassy in London of the Soviet war news weekly, now known as the Soviet Weekly.

Today's Foreign Office statement says that its original purpose was to "inform the Soviet public about Great Britain's achievement in the war against the common enemy."

After the war, its purpose was described as being to "give full and accurate information about Britain's recovery and about British domestic and foreign policy."

The statement added that important British foreign policy statements were always printed in full and that the British Ally was "the only accurate printed source of such information in the Soviet Union."

NOT DISTRIBUTED

The British statement reported that when the unsold copies of the January, 1950, issue were returned to the British Embassy in Moscow, they were in such condition that there was reason to believe that they had not been distributed.

"Their unsold condition made it clear that they had not, in

MARSHALL AID QUOTA FOR BRITAIN

London, Aug. 31.

Britain got \$2,539,500,000 in Marshall Aid from April, 1948, to June, 1950.

This was disclosed in the British Government's report to the Economic Co-operation Administration for the second quarter of 1950, published today.

The report, many of the details of which have already been announced, showed that Marshall Aid grants totalling \$1,201,000 were made to 12 Colonial development projects, and others were under consideration.

American experts had been made available to Colonial territories.

The report said that the dollar value of Britain's exports to North America in the second quarter exceeded the peak figures reached at the end of 1948 and the beginning of 1949 for the first time since devaluation.

Exports to Canada, equivalent to US\$86,000,000, were two per cent above the last quarter of 1948, the previous highest dollar figure.

Exports to the United States were equivalent to \$61,000,000, an increase of eight per cent compared with the first quarter of this year but still four per cent below the level of the first quarter of 1949.

Britain's total exports in the second quarter were valued at \$2,508,000,000, a decrease of one and a half per cent compared with the record first quarter, but 1.4 per cent more than the quarterly average for 1949.

The volume of exports was 152 per cent of the 1947 average, compared with 157 per cent in the first quarter, but 10 per cent above the average for last year.

DEVALUATION

The report said that of the factors contributing to the continued improvement in Britain's dollar position, the maintenance of a high level of demand in the United States, particularly for Sterling Area products, had been of first importance.

The temporary influence of devaluation were still operating, though on a diminished scale.

Other important factors were the improvement in invisible exports and the continued economy in dollar expenditure by the United Kingdom and other Sterling Area members.—Reuter.

PRESS PHOTOGRAPHS

Copies of photographs taken by the South China Morning Post and Hong Kong Telegraph Staff Photographers are on view in the Morning Post Building.

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GORGEOUS GINGER



Rival to Gorgeous Gussie Moran, Gorgeous Ginger Rogers gave the Forest Hills crowd a thrill on Wednesday when with Frank Shields of New York she was eliminated from the first round of the Mixed Doubles in the American National Championships, states a United Press message.

The movie star and Shields lost to Billy Tully of New York and Miss Barbara Wilkins, 3-6 and 5-7. The good-humoured gallery of 3,000 watched the game into the dusk.—Daily Express Photo.

ARCHIE QUICK RECOLLECTS

The Two Greatest Men In The Ring

After thirty years of fight watching, if I were asked for my vote on the greatest man I have seen in action in the ring, Ted (Kid) Lewis would be second only to the incomparable Jimmy Wilde. But Lewis, despite his ferocious battling, knew better how to knock out men than keep a bank balance. The result is that Ted is to be given a "benefit" in London in September.

To this end people who matter in the boxing world gathered together to discuss ways and means at the West End restaurant kept by stage comedian Bud Flanagan. The most interesting event of the evening was the showing of films of Lewis's fights. Despite the flicker of primitive spools, we saw his three epic battles with Welshman Johnnie Basbaum, his win over Yorkshire's Tom Gunner and his classic fight with Georges Carpentier at Holborn Stadium.

Although conceding weight there, in his seven years' stay in America, he had 200 fights and lost but seven. Would that we had today! Lewis was the British and European featherweight champion, was the British and European as well as world welterweight champion, and the British and European middleweight champion. What a record! At 10 stone, the man could give away two stone and beat two champions.

Lewis is no longer ten stone. Fourteen would be nearer the mark, I would say, but if I were anyone of any importance on the Board of Control I would see to it that Lewis was made to inculcate some of his fighting spirit and skill into the present-day crop of young names but two, have come from stars.

17-YEAR-OLD SAVES KENT FROM FOLLOW-ON AGAINST WEST INDIES

Canterbury, Aug. 31.

The West Indies consolidated their position on the second day of their match against Kent here. The County managed to avoid the follow-on by 31 runs. With a lead of 119 runs the West Indies batted again and when stumps were drawn they were 249 runs ahead with five wickets standing.

When their fifth wicket fell at 56 runs, Kent were in grave danger of having to follow-on. The soundness of the 17-year-old Cowdrey and the big hitting of the tail-enders enabled them to make a partial recovery and take the total to 146 runs. Cowdrey, a well-built youngster with plenty of confidence, batted an hour and 40 minutes and showed every promise of developing into a good cricketer.

After a holdup of an hour through rain, Dovey and Martin, hitting nearly everything, added 27 runs in 15 minutes before more good work by Trestrail, who held a difficult catch at long-off, ended the stand.

Dovey continued his powerful driving and power, four came in 30 runs made in 25 minutes.

Valentine, who conceded only 13 runs in his first 10 overs, was hit for 14 runs in his last seven.

VICIOUS PITCH

The pitch was vicious when the West Indies batted again. Rain made it soft on top while it remained hard underneath and the ball flew. Four wickets fell for 23 runs and West Indies were 119 runs ahead with five wickets standing. Gurney and Goddard took advantage of an easing pitch to put on 79 runs by the close of play.

Kent were 92 runs for six wickets when rain stopped play and lunch was taken today. The runs came slowly, but Gurney and Goddard showed no signs of nervousness. He was fortunate when one or two of Valentine's sharp breaks flew off the edge of his bat.

Hearns was caught at the wicket with only five runs added this morning. Clark defended for nearly half an hour, but the first time he tried a forcing stroke he gave a simple catch to mid-off.

Upton survived several of Valentine's in fortunate style but managed to take four off him and Gomez. He was sixth out when West Indies held a low catch at slip.

Dovey decided to attack after being beaten several times. Twenty-four runs were needed to make the West Indies bat again when rain stopped play about 20 minutes before lunch.

Play restarted at 1.45 p.m. GMT, one hour behind local time. Kent were 146 runs for five wickets when the rain stopped play. The ball flew. Four wickets fell for 23 runs and West Indies were 119 runs ahead with five wickets standing. Gurney and Goddard took advantage of an easing pitch to put on 79 runs by the close of play.

HECTIC 15 MINUTES

During a hectic 15 minutes Dovey and Martin added 20 runs and saved the follow-on. Martin fell to a well-edged catch at long-off, but Dovey went on hitting merrily. In 35 minutes he rattled off 30 runs, which included seven fours, before falling to a slip catch.

The effect of the rain on the pitch was seen when the West Indies batted. The ball flew high and at nine runs Christian hooked a flyer into the hands of the backward leg. The Marshall fell to a brilliant catch by Martin seven runs later.

Walcott fell at the same total and at 22 runs Trestrail was bowled by Martin.

The pitch eased after tea and Gomez became more confident. Martin still made an occasional ball kick and one of these saw the end of West Indies, who were caught at backward short-leg.

Gomez took 14 runs off Wright in one over and reached 52 runs out of 80 in 95 minutes. Goddard gave him due support and they stayed for the last 70 minutes and had put on 79 runs by the close—Reuter.

Six More Months For Brian Close

London, Aug. 31. Brian Close, the 19-year-old Yorkshire all-rounder, who was due for release from the Army shortly after his return from the MCC tour of Australia this year, will now have to remain in the Army for a further six months.

A War Office spokesman, confirming this today, explained that this was a result of the extension of the full-time service from 18 months to two years which affects all those still serving on October 1, 1950.—Reuter.

DEEP WATER BAY GOLF

R.R. Davies & Daughter The Winners

An enjoyable and successful golf afternoon was had by 28 parents and children who participated in the Medal Handicap foursomes at the Royal Hongkong Golf Club, Deep Water Bay, yesterday.

This was the third competition specially organised for members' children who are now in the Colony on their school vacation. (Malcolm Robertson and David Hunter were the winners of the two previous contests.)

Another journey for the children takes place to-day in the form of a Tombstone competition. Already there are 20 entries for this event. The last event in which the children will take part before leaving for home is on Sept. 6.

CONSISTENT

Yesterday's medal foursomes were won by R.R. Davies and his daughter Kathleen with an aggregate of 88 and a nett of 73. Kathleen, who had already won the girls' event in the first competition, showed consistent form throughout the 18 holes. The pair were given some good opposition by Donald Black and his 10-year son, Graham. Although the youngsters were not veterans, Graham played like a veteran and drew laudable remarks all round with some excellent putting.

The Blacks finished up with a nett of 76, tying with R.S. Robertson and Malcolm Robertson. The runners and Malcom were undoubtedly the best pair, returning the best aggregate of 79, but found a handicap of 3 a little too much.

FULL SCORES

Score	Aggregate	Nett
R.R. Davies & Kathleen	88	73
D. Black & Graham	88	76
R.S. Robertson & Malcolm	88	76
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County Cricket Scores At Close Of Play

London, Aug. 31. Widespread rain upset today's cricket, no play being possible at Hove, Kingston-Thames, and Nottingham.

The position in these three matches at last night's close was: At Hove: Derbyshire 275, Sussex 5 for no wicket. At Kingston-Thames: Thames Commonweal XI 200 for seven against England XI.

At Nottingham: Essex 175 for one against Northants. The close of play scores of other first-class matches played today were:

At Lords: The Army versus Royal Air Force two-day match was abandoned. The score was: The Army 201 for two declared, Royal Air Force 04 for three (Shirrell 52).

At the Oval: Leicestershire 113 and 12 for no wicket, Surrey 272 for nine declared (Fisher 108, Constable 51, Palmer four for 62). Rain restricted play.

At Portsmouth: Hampshire 75 for three against Glamorgan.—Reuter.

HOME SOCCER RESULTS

London, Aug. 31. The following were the results of football matches played today:

SECOND DIVISION
Nottingham 3 Queens' P. R. 3

THIRD DIVISION
Colchester 2 Swindon 1
Leyton Orient 2 Ipswich 0
Newport City 2 Port Vale 0
Northampton 2 Norwich City 2

IRISH GOLD CUP (Second Round)
Clenontown 2 Blaney 0
Lifford 2 Bangor 0.—Reuter.

AUSSIES WIN RUGBY "ASHES"



Well and truly mud-bespattered players — the Englishmen and the Australians exchange jerseys after the third Rugby League Test on the Sydney Cricket Ground — won by Australia — who won the "Ashes" — Daily Express Photo.

Hypocrisy & Sport Don't Mix Too Well Together

Says Peter Wilson

A good many people have been wondering for a long time what's wrong with British sport. I hesitate to supply an answer to a problem which has perplexed so many bright boys, but — could it be that where sport is concerned we're a nation of HYPOCRITES?

If you think this is unjustified criticism, what about answering the following sports quiz? There are no marks. But there's one rule. Be honest.

1. Is there any difference between a Brian Close, Yorkshire and England cricketer, John Horn, junior lawn tennis champion of Great Britain, and Ralph Jones, utility player for Bristol Rovers?

Close gets an interruption of seven months during his period of National Service. Horn had his call-up deferred so that he could visit Paris for the French Championships, got leave to compete at Wimbledon, and is at present playing in America.

"Utility Jones," after doing six years' service, has been recalled to the Army. Close and Horn will probably go much further in their sports than Jones will in his. I know that. But is there one law for the "golden boys" of sport and another for the "utility models"?

2. How do you feel about the ban against German and Japanese athletes? I have my own view, but I'd like to know yours.

The question here is can any runner, swimmer, boxer—what you will—call himself a world champion when more than a hundred million athletes aren't allowed to compete against him? Recently I saw German champion Heini Hoff take punches from Jersey Joe Walcott which would have left most British heavyweights "Nine, ten, out."

3. What about Sunday sport? If you're an English footballer, you're applauded if you play on Good Friday and Christmas Day. But if the powers-that-were find out that you've enjoyed a Sunday performance then you've had it, brother.

That is unless you happen to be representing England abroad.

And, anyway, is there any less respect for an out-and-out professional than for some players who are paid enough for jobs (nominal) to remain amateurs (technical)?

5. What is Britain's most popular sport? (Wait for it, that isn't the real question.) Un-

doubtedly Soccer. And who, considering his and his game's popularity, is the worst paid sports star? Again, obviously, the Soccer player.

But do you honestly believe that all the really outstanding players get only the maximum permitted by the Football Association?

I don't believe it—and I don't blame them for taking anything they can lay their hands on.

But do you think it's a good thing to lay down a scale of payment which is so low that many of Britain's sporting idols are forced to take under the counter payments in order to obtain the money which they've legitimately earned? Well, do you?

—(London Express Service)

PRINCE SIMON SCRATCHED

London, Aug. 31. Prince Simon will not run in the St. Leger, it was stated tonight. The colt was second favourite at seven to two at the last callover.—Reuter.

LAWN BOWLS TEAMS FOR SATURDAY

The following are the team selections of Clubs for their Lawn Bowls League matches this Saturday:

KCC
1st Division (home) v. KCC at 3.30 p.m.—J. A. Tindall, J. G. Meyer, C. Greenwood, L. Sikes, C. Norman, A. M. Rummah, U. H. Rummah, A. R. Munn, N. B. Hassan (skip).
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TIME OUT FOR THE FANS



Stan Musial, red-hot leader of the pennant-chasing Cardinals, takes time out before a game with the Dodgers at Ebbets Field in New York to look over some pictures of himself and other famous baseball stars. Showing their collection are twins Brian and Rickey Conley, and there's nothing they'd like better than having Stan put an autograph on some of those cards.

FOR YOUR SPARE MOMENTS

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Joe Could Have Made 'Jinx' Hand

By OSWALD JACOBY

"THAT was a very unlucky hand," moaned Hard Luck Joe. "There was absolutely nothing I could do if there had been one more club in dummy I'd have been all right."

"Yes," sneered his partner, "and if you were a bridge player your name wouldn't be Hard Luck Joe. My three-year-old daughter was making hands like this last year."

Joe looked bewildered. He still couldn't see what he could have done to make the contract.

West opened the eight of spades, dummy put up the ten, and East won with the queen. East next cashed his ace of spades and continued the suit, allowing dummy to win the third trick.

South drew three rounds of trumps and laid down the ace of

♠ KJ10	23
♥ J8762	
♦ Q5	
♣ A984	
♠ 74	
♥ 109	
♦ 10974	
♣ 2	

(DEALER)

Both vul.
South West North East
1♥ Pass 2♥ Pass
4♥ Pass Pass Pass

diamonds, hoping to find the doubleton king-queen in either hand or a singleton picture card in the East hand. Since he did not get either of these breaks, he was doomed to lose two diamond tricks, and was therefore set one trick.

If you look carefully, you will see how Joe carefully played the hand to make it. Decide for yourself before you read on.

Joe made his mistake when he drew three rounds of trumps. After winning the third trick with dummy's king of spades, the correct plan is to draw only two rounds of trumps. Declare then takes the top club and the ace of diamonds. A diamond is finally led from the South hand, and East wins with the queen.

At this point East cannot return a red card. Whether he returns a spade or a club, dummy ruffs with the last trump which has been so carefully left there. At the same time, South discards his remaining losing diamond. South therefore makes his contract.

It does West no good to put on the king of diamonds on the second round of that suit. West's queen drops, and dummy's jack of diamonds is thereby set up.

South cannot be sure that this play will work. It will fail if East has a third trump. But there is certainly no harm in trying this play.

CROSSWORD

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3 Chinese Students Expelled From U.S.

Boston, Aug. 31.

Three Chinese students studying American textile technique have been ordered to leave the United States because of alleged pro-Communist sympathies, though they were sent here by the Chinese Nationalist Government.

The students were notified on Wednesday by Deputy District Commissioner Oliver Remington, of the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, that their presence was no longer desired, following investigation of a recent incident in Saco, Maine.

The students, who are studying under the State Department educational programme, allegedly fought with a shop employee after one of them said: "Russia won the last two wars and is winning the third."

ANTI-AMERICAN

American remark attributed to one of the students, that was "anti-American and pro-Communist," was said to be the cause of the expulsion.

Remington said the students were expelled because they were "anti-American and pro-Communist." He said they were expelled because they were "anti-American and pro-Communist."

They had been living at 107 O'Brien Street, Boston, and were to have completed their studies on Friday.

Remington said the students did not want to be deported. The student was taken away on a train to New York.

INVASION OF TIBET DENIED

Calcutta, Aug. 31.

Thepon Shakappa, leader of the Tibetan delegation which is in India for talks on Sino-Tibetan relations, denied yesterday that Chinese Communist troops had invaded Tibet.

Shakappa said in an interview that all such reports were "unfounded."

"There is no reason for Communist China to invade Tibet," he said.

He said the Tibetan delegation was scheduled to meet Chinese representatives on the border of Hongkong and China in June, but "British interference" made it impossible for the Tibetan delegation to meet the Chinese time-table.

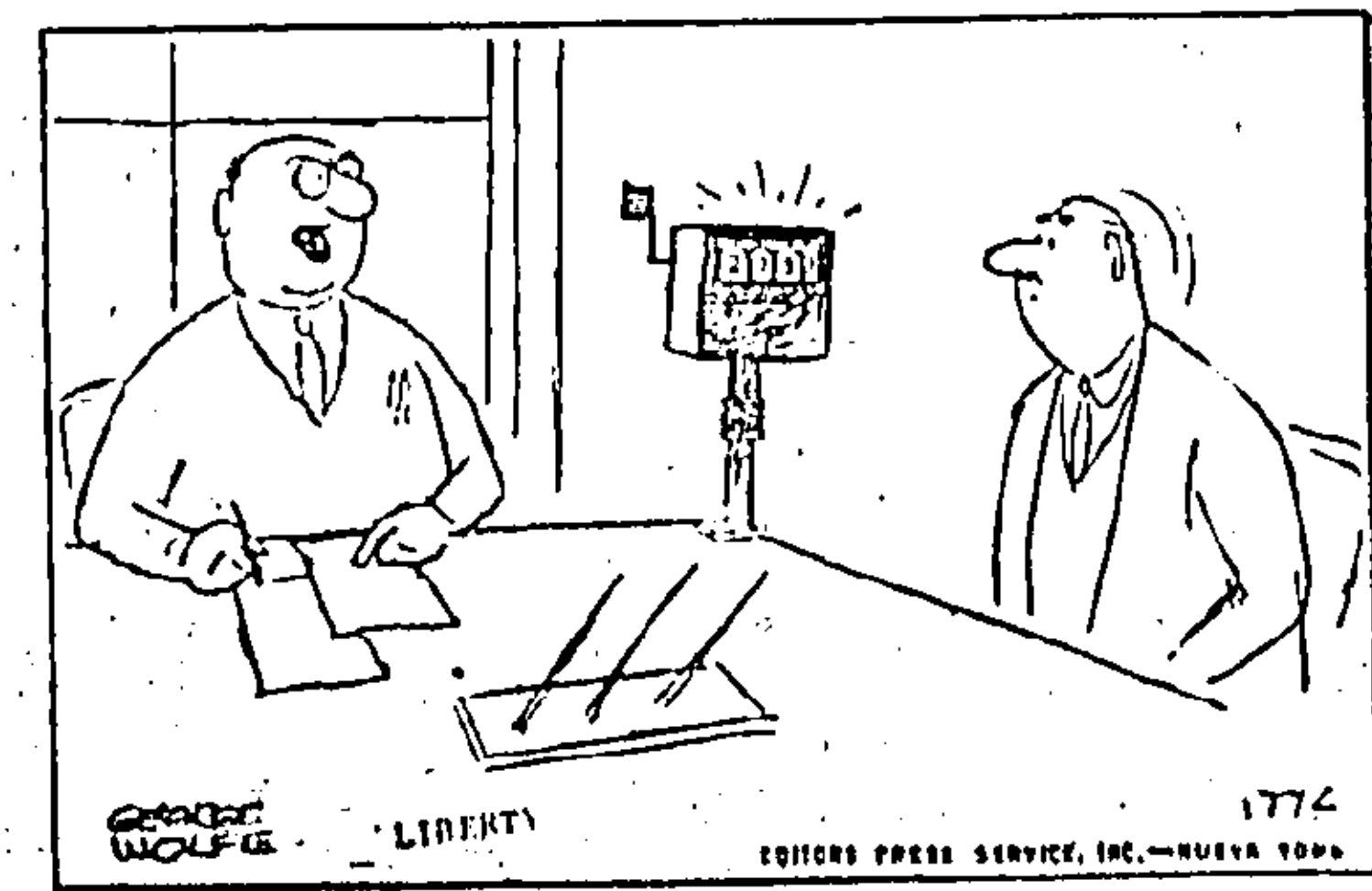
He explained that when the delegation was about to leave by plane for Hongkong on June 6, two members of the delegation were refused clearance on grounds that their visas were not in order. The whole eight-man delegation thereupon cancelled the flight and went to New Delhi to contact the Indian Ministry of External Affairs and the United Kingdom High Commissioner.

Shakappa said that after a fruitless wait of several weeks for the necessary visas, the delegation returned to Kalimpong to await the arrival of the Chinese Communist ambassador. He said there would be no third party at the talks—United Press.

CHECK YOUR KNOWLEDGE

Answers

1. Washington Irving's "Sketchbook".
2. Thomas Hardy.
3. The "St. Book".
4. It is a peninsula in east Asia, bounded on the north by Manchuria, on the east by the Sea of Japan, on the southeast by the Straits of Korea which separate it from Japan, on the west by the Yellow Sea.
5. Wilhelm Richard Wagner.



"It reminds visitors that time is money!"

Super Bazooka



The 3.5-inch rocket launcher now being used in Korea is held by Matthew J. Keppinger in Aberdeen, Maryland. Believed to be one of the most effective anti-tank weapons because of its ability to penetrate 11 inches of armour plate, the launcher is five feet long and weighs 15 pounds. It fires a nine-pound rocket. (Acme).

INDIA URGES U.S. TO GIVE PEKING ASSURANCES

Washington, Aug. 31.

Informed quarters disclosed today that India has urged the United States to give Communist China more "specific" assurances of the American Government's friendly intentions toward the Chinese people.

They said the Indians have expressed their belief that some substantial American statement ought to be most effective in keeping the Chinese Reds from becoming embroiled with Americans in Korea or clashing with them over Formosa.

The Indian suggestion has not been made the subject of a formal note, but has been communicated "informally" to the American authorities here in Washington.

Official sources confirmed that India on her own initiative has been acting as a channel of communication between the United States and Communist China, in the hope of paving the way for a better understanding of the other's position on certain important aspects of the Far Eastern situation.

They said there is every indication that the Indians are making the greatest possible effort to keep the war in Asia from spreading.

ENVOY POPULAR

They said that Indian officials have been transmitted to Peking, where their Ambassador, Mr. R. M. Panikkar, enjoys unusual popularity among Communist government officials. The text of several American official statements declaring that the United States has no aggressive designs on Formosa. They said the Indian Government appeared to feel, however, that it would be more effective if the United States would definitely support the Cairo Declaration regarding Formosa to China.

These sources said that the Indians also believe that a very salutary effort would be produced by an American government indication that it would not oppose Communist China to the United Nations.

TWO OCCASIONS

Although India took the initiative in maintaining the channel of communication between the two governments, which do not recognise each other, it was learned that the United States itself on two occasions specifically asked New

McCarthy Attacks Democrats

Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, Aug. 31.

Senator Joseph R. McCarthy said last night the Democratic Party has placed itself "officially" on the side of Communism, and that only a Republican election victory in November can save Western civilization.

In a speech prepared for delivery before the Dodge County Republican Club, he reiterated his allegations of Communist infiltration of the State Department and called again for the resignation of Secretary of State Dean Acheson. But the Senator reserved his major attack for the Democratic Party which, he said, looked aside as Communists slipped into government policy-making roles.

"Unfortunately," he said, "the Democratic Party has officially placed itself on the side of the Communists and Communism. I believe that in this way they can gain some temporary political advantage. This Democratic Party over the past months has irretrievably labelled itself as the party of betrayal—the party of the puppets of the Politburo."

Mr. Acheson, he said, for years has worked on the team of world strategy to create a Communist dominated world.

CHARGE BY TAFT

The Secretary of State, meanwhile, disputed today a charge by Senator Robert A. Taft that the Truman Administration lacked diplomatic plan to combat Russian aggression.

Senator Taft levelled his charge in his weekly column in Ohio newspaper. He accused the Administration of a "complete lack of military or diplomatic plan."

Mr. Acheson told a press conference that Mr. Taft was wrong about the diplomatic situation. He indicated that "defence leaders would answer on the subject of military preparedness."

As examples of diplomatic plan to meet the threat of the Reds, he cited the North Atlantic Defence treaty, which he being supplemented by arms shipments to pact partners, and the prompt action of 53 nations under United States leadership to meet the Communist thrust in Korea.

He insisted that the United States is well equipped diplomatically, and has succeeded very well in meeting the Communist challenge—United Press.

TRAIN CAME OFF RAILS

Lampasas, Texas, Aug. 31.

Twenty-five to 30 passengers were injured when a Santa Fe train came off the rails 13 miles from here early today, according to first reports from the scene. The train was en route to Lampasas, in Central Texas, about 72 miles north of Austin, the capital of the State of Texas. The police said that a person was killed and that it appeared that one of the injured was in a critical condition.—Reuter.

SUPERFORTS POUND TOP STRATEGIC TARGETS

Tokyo, Aug. 31.

More than 90 United States Far East Air Forces B-29 Superforts struck North Korean strategic targets with more than 800 tons of bombs today in a heavy blow against the Communists' war machine potentials. General MacArthur's headquarters announced tonight.

The announcement said that Bomber Command Superforts dropped more than 600 tons of high explosives on industrial installations at Chinnampo, 20 miles southwest of Pyongyang, the North Korean capital. "Bridges and Communications lines in North Korea caught the rest of today's devastating attack," the announcement continued.

"A marshalling yard and freight car storage yard, a chemical plant, a printing plant and a magnesium-aluminum plant in Chinnampo were pounded by a steady stream of bombs for an hour and a half about noon today.

"Bombing was visual, and excellent results were reported by returning crews.

PRECAUTIONS

"Precautions were taken not to bomb the city proper. The civilians of Chinnampo were warned by B-29-delivered leaflets on August 10 to move away from all military targets in that area.

"No flak or enemy fighters were encountered during the bomb run, which went off exactly as planned. The weather was clear and visibility excellent.

"The smelting plant at Chinnampo, one of today's targets, had a high production capacity of lead, copper and zinc. During the World War the plant was

A Rommel In London



Manfred Rommel, centre, 21-year-old son of the late German field marshal, is in England in connection with the publication of his father's papers, and here he passes a sentry outside Marlborough House, the London residence of Queen Mary. Young Rommel is accompanied by Gen. Fritz Bayerlein, who was the field marshal's chief of staff during World War II. (Acme).

Dispersal Of Vital Washington Agencies Urged

Washington, August 31.

Senator Brien McMahon told Congress today that Russia is stockpiling atom bombs, and that vital United States agencies must therefore be dispersed out of the Washington target area.

The Connecticut Democrat, who is chairman of the House and Senate Atomic Energy Committee, urged Congress to rush action on President Truman's request for dispersal funds.

"It is a solemn fact that Soviet Russia today possesses some atomic bombs," Senator McMahon said in a statement. "Ordinary common sense and prudence require us to take certain steps in the light of that solemn fact."

President Truman on Wednesday asked for \$139,800,000 with which to start a long-range plan for moving key agencies out of Washington as a precaution against a sneak atomic bomb attack.

"So long as Russia possesses atomic bombs," Senator McMahon said, "our vital government agencies should not be

lunched together in downtown Washington."

He said the destruction of the headquarters of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, of intelligence, and military and civil defence agencies—or even their immobilization for one day—would be a "grave setback" to our war effort.

The atomic armaments race has reached a point where "no thoughtful person can evade the conclusion that international control of atomic energy is the heart of the question of peace." Without that control, he said, "nothing is solved."

PLANS RUSHED

He continued: "I still believe that only a great moral crusade for peace—and by peace I mean foolproof world-wide control of weapons—can save mankind."

He said: "I still believe that, given faith and boldness and positive action, we can yet win through to a place with justice."

The Administration is rushing plans to scatter highly vulnerable agencies through the Maryland and Virginia countryside in a 50-mile radius of the capital. Thus, a single atom bomb would not be able to cripple the entire Government.

In his request to Congress, Mr. Truman said the money will be used to "initiate a long-range plan to ensure continuity of the essential functions of government, even in the event of emergency."—United Press.

"Carried-out United States Marine" pilots continued operations in extremely close support of United Nations ground forces around the entire defence perimeter, concentrating their main effort on the northern sector.

"On one strike by four Corsair" fighter-bombers, an estimated 300 troops were killed approximately 10 miles north-west of Peking on a hill-top by 20-millimetre shell-fire.

"The air controller reported excellent results.

LARGE FIRES

"Ten large fires were started at Uihyang in attacks on supply and fuel dumps. A bridge under repair east of Hyeonchon was definitely destroyed.

"Troops, artillery and vehicular traffic were the prime targets of the Marines around the entire front.

"United States Navy ships standing off the east and south coasts continued to pour in a steady stream of harassing interdiction and call-fire in support of the ground forces.

"The patrol and support force continues to make effective use of star shell illumination of the battle area for night firing.

"As with the Marines, fierce primary targets are troops, transport and artillery."—Reuter.

Improvements In Burma Stressed

Rangoon, Aug. 31.

Mr Archibald Rivers, the Burmese Minister for Refugees and Resettlement, today reported "a great improvement" in the Delta area of southwestern Burma, following the Prime Minister's tour to bring about better relations between Burmese and Karens.

The Prime Minister's 10-day tour, ending on August 24, was also intended to explain the present situation to the people of the area and to give relief to destitute people and refugees, Mr Rivers said at a press conference.

Medical care was provided in villages where it was needed, he added.

The Prime Minister, Thakin Nu, told gatherings that the losses sustained by the people and the Government through the incurable losses of over 100 crores of rupees (one crore equals 10 million rupees).

Over 20,000 people were given relief at a cost of 150,000 rupees by the Minister for Refugees during the visit. The Prime Minister gave liberal donations to repair graves damaged during the insurrection.

The Delta area is one of the centres of KNDO (Karen National Defence Organisation) activity, the other being the area east of the Sittoung River, including parts of the Thaiton and Toungtha districts.

TWO GROUPS

Five Members of Parliament representing the Delta constituencies addressed the press conference, and testified to the improvement in the situation in their areas.

The representative for Pyawgon District said that the KNDO was co-operating with the Red Flag Communist, and White Flag Communist, were co-operating with the Burmese Communist, resulting in clashes between both groups.

The morale of the Karen National Defence Organisation, he stated, was fast declining, as was shown by the increased response to the Government's amnesty terms.—Reuter.

INTELLIGENCE TEST SOLUTION

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